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ARMIES OFF FOR MANILA AND CUBA.

SHAFTER'S FORCE AGAIN DELAYED.

The Troopships Start for Santiago but a Hitch Occurs and They Return.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

WASHINGTON, June 14.—Official information has reched Washington to the effect that the fleet of transports with troops for Santiago which was supposed to have left yesterday for Cuba had not sailed up to an early hour this morning. No reason has been stated, so far as it has been learned, for this very unexpected delay in the movement against Santiago. The officials positively decline to discuss the matter, but clearly show by their manner that the news is unwelcome.

Later advices received during the afternoon show that a start was actually made yesterday, but that the movement dragged, and that many of the ships did not move until some time this forenoon.. It is supposed that all the vessels are now fairly under way.

The public probably will be fully informed tomorrow concerning the movement, as the authorities here have determined to withdraw the censorship thus far enforced from Florida points some time tomorrow.

Allowing three days for the trip, General Shafter's forces will be in the vicinity of Santiago by Friday noon, and it is expected that the debarkation will take the rest of the day and night and part of the following day.

With the first expedition actually out of the country, the authorities here have quickly turned their attention to another expedition even more important than this initial one. It is expected that the plans for this second invading force will be matured at once, and that as a result another expedition will leave from an Atlantic Coast port within the next ten days, this time for Porto Rico.

The details for this movement are approaching completion. There are about fifteen transports already available, and the list will be increased as rapidly as possible. Some of these may be used for a later expedition, but those on hand and to be secured will readily accommodate a force of 10,000 men.

Recent reports from Porto Rico have indicated that the Spanish force there does not exceed 4,000 or 5,000 men, so that it may be deemed necessary to send a large army of occupation. Such as it is, however, it will have an important mission to perform, and with this force pursuing an aggressive campaign in Porto Rico Rico and General Shafter's 15,000 men on Cuban soil, an abundance of stirring events is assured from this week forward.

GUERRILLAS STILL ACTIVE.

NEW YORK, June 14.—A special dated off Caimanera, June 13th, via Mole St. Nicholas, Hayti, today, reports that there was a renewal on Sunday of the Spanish attacks upon the force of marines landed there on Friday last.

The fighting is said to have lasted all through Sunday night, Camp McCalla and Crest Hill being attacked by greatly superior forces of Spanish. The battleship Texas, the gunboat Marblehead and the collierf Abaraenda supported the marines by directing a fire upon the coast and particularly the bushes, which all through these encounters have served to screen the movements of the Spaniards.

SPANISH SHIPS GO TO ST. JOHN.

LONDON, June 14,—Three Spanish steamers lying at Liverpool recently, the Gallego, Navarro and Palestine, re-named the Comus, La Juno and Palestro, sailed yesterday for St. John, New Brunswick, according to the avices obtainable.

BOYS IN BLUE FOR THE PHILIPPINES.

Over Three Thousand Volunteers Aboard Transports in San Francisco Bay En Route to Join Brave Dewey.

(Special to the Tribune.)

SAN FRANCISCO, June 14.—The staunch steamers China, Colon and Zealandia, comprising the principal part of the second expedition of the United States Army against Manila, and rocking on the stream off San Francisco, awaiting orders to proceed to their destination in defense of the honor of the nation and in behalf of humanity.

On board are about 2,500 regular soldiers and volunteers who have left all that is near and dear behind them.

Some time this evening this squadron of transports will be joined by the new steamer Senator, containing fully 1,000 more of young soldiers, all of whom come from the plains, prairies and towns of Nebraska.

The troops which occupy these vessels other than the Senator are as follows: The Tenth Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry and a part of the Utah Artillery on the Zelandia; two companies Eighteenth United States Infantry, the Colorado regiment and the engineer corps from Willets Point, on the China; one battalion of the Twenty third U. S. Infantry, two companies of the Eighteenth United States Infantry, and a part of the battery of the artillery from Utah on board the Colon.

These troops make a grand total of 3,465 men mostly in the flower of their youth.

They leave behind them in Camp Merritt about 10,000 more of their kind, who are chafing under the tedium and restraint of camp life and who are anxious for the excitement, even the danger of the field.

But all things come to those who wait, and in the ordinary course of events, unless the war should be brought to a speedy close the soldiers in camp will shoon be given te order to sail and then will be awaited with interest the record of their achievements in foreign climes and before a foreign foe.

The martial spirit was in the ascendant in San Francisco today when those blue-coated, stalwart young men marched along her thoroughfares on the way to the field.

When the time came to break camp today, down went the canvas tents with the spontaneity which would have done credit to a cyclone. Then came the packing up, the dressing of knapsacks, the tightening of cartridge belts, the girding of swords, and finally the order which went in all directions and came from various commands "to march."

Regiment after regiment filed out of the sandy, wind-swept camp and the march to Manila had begun.

Many of the commands, notably the regulars, the men from Colorado and the Utah artillery, reached the heart of San Francisco at an early hour.

As a consequence their march through the cit ydid not attract that attention which it otherwise would have attracted, and especially that which was accorded to those commands when they marched to the camp which they have now left behind them.

The great demonstration of the day, however, was that in honor of the Tenth Pennsylvania regiment, which was one of the latest to leave camp. It was well toward the noon hour when the left of the column filed out of the old guard line. On Golden Gate avenue a halt was ordered and a few minutes were allowed for a rest, which the boys greatly appreciated.

Again "forward" wash sounded. The ranks were reformed, and the column marched thenceforth in review of as patriotic and exultant a people as ever bade adieu to heroes on the way to the field.

Every house on Golden Gate avenue, every store on Market street, was decorated with national emblems, every door and window, every inch of curb and even the street was occupied with throngs of people, waving hands, fluttering handkerchiefs, dipping and whirling flags and cheering at the top of their voices.

The regiment was headed by an excellent field band. The boys were in heavy marching order, their big knapsacks, covered with their rubber blankets, containing not fewer than 60 pounds of clothing and other essentials, rising almost as high as their heads. Many, even of the most stalwart, bent forward under the load.

Shortly before the boys reached the Humboldt school, every little boy and girl of that institution, with their teachers took possession of the curb. When the right of the line, which was in column of fours, reached the school, the enthusasm of the little people seemed ed to be beyond bounds.

Along Market street the enthusiasm was intensified, if that were possible. Business was temporarily suspended. Every employe rushed to the street from the stores.

At the intersection of Third and Market streets the throng was so dense as to be well nigh impassable. Half a dozen of the firms at the intersection had brass bands on hand and these played airs which gave elasticity to the men, who by this htime were tired in walking over the rough stone pavements.

A notable feature of this march was the reverential deference paid to the flag. Some men silently took off their hats and moved their lips in a faint apostrophe to the regimental colors. Some took of their hats and shouted "salute the flag," and the order was complied with. Others cried, "Three cheers for Old Glory," and the cheers were given with great volume.

The flag-bearer, Sergeant Palmer, was a noticeable figure himself. He is 55 years of age and as model a specimen of a campaigner as one would like to see.

The ovation did not end until after the command had entered the Pacific street wharf. Beyond the door, the public could not go, a cordon of police holding back a throng of women who begged to be permitted to take a last farewell within.

The ladies of the Red Cross furnished the boys dinner, then the soldiers boarded the vessels and tomorrow will be on the way to Manila.

MARINES BUSY PLANTING GUNS.

Americans at Caimanera are Fortifying Their Position--Spanish Shelled.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, June 14.—A special to the Evening world from Mole St. Nicholas says the auxiliary cruiser St. Louis has arrived there from Guantanamo, which place she left at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The marines who were at Caimanera were hard at work throwing up breastworks and strong fortifications on a hilltop behind the promontory where guns will be placed for the protection of the force.

Three miles east of Santiago there is a little village where a considerable force of Spanish troops was stationed. It was used as a kind of base of operations for the attack on the American positions, but yesterday, the World dispatch says, the Dolphin shelled the place and practically destroyed it. From the Dolphin's deck the Spanish soldiers could be seen running in all directions.

This dispatch makes no mention of the fighting which another special reports to have taken place at Caimanera Sunday night.

CASTELLANE WINS A DUEL.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

PARIS, June 14—Count Boniface Castellane, who married Miss Anna Gould of New York, fought a duel this morning with M. Henri Turot, of the Petite Republique Francaise. Three rounds were fought with swords and M. Turot was wounded in each round twice slightly and the third severely in the right forearm, thus ending the duel. The dispute which led to the meeting grew out of M. Turot's comment on an act of infanticide committed by a servant in the Count's household.

Immediately after the Catellane-Turot duel, M. Gerault Richard of the Petite Republique Francaise and M. Bernard, a socialist deputy, fought a bloodless duel of six engagements.

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FURIOUS FIGHT ON CUBAN SOIL.

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CAMP OF THE UNITED STATES MARINES, OUTER HARBOR OF GUANTANAMO, MONDAY, June 13 (noon)—BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS DISPATCH BOAT WANDA, via Kingston, Jamaica, June 14, 7 A. M.—After two nights of hard fighting, the American flag still floats over Cuban soil, and our boys say they will keep it there until the belated troops arrive if it takes until winter.

Thus far the marines have had the best of the fighting, but the situation is grave, and they are exhausted with repelling almost incessant attacks. They have little chance to rest or sleep, and the time of the arrival of the relieving troops is uncertain. Were it not for the guns of the fleet, the gallant little band would be annihilated by the Spanish troops, in overpowering numbers, from Santiago de Cuba. As it is, they probably can hold their position, but they cannot move forward until reinforced by troops.

What first, with the white tents on a bold eminence against the tropic background, looked like a holiday camp, is now grim reality. The tents have been struck and rolled into breastworks, supplemented by trenches around the crest of the hill. The spot is lamentably exposed, while surrounding it on all sides is brush. The least movement in the camp is the signal for instant target practice on the part of the Spanish sharpshooters, whose rifles carry much farther than ours, though their owners rarely hit anything they aim at.

It is impossible to accurately estimate the Spanish attacking force, but it is numerous enough. About two-thirds of this force surrounds the camps nightly with a deadly ring, and the cracking of Mausers makes things quite lively, for the Spaniards are daring enough to crawl up and take a pop at the marines from the bushes about thirty yards from the camp. At night the besiegers fight like Indians, and our old Apache fighters will feel in their element. Every yard of chaparral is an ambuscade, and picket duty is flipping coins with death.

After the first attack on Saturday night, Colonel Huntington decided that another attempt would be made on Sunday night, and he caused entrenchments to be thrown up on all sides of the camp, and in the trenches the main part of the battalion last night waited for the attack that the Colonel was certain would come. It arrived within a short time after dark, and from that time until daybreak the firing was incessant and at times very heavy.

On the American side two men were killed and four wounded.

The dead are:

SERGEANT MAJOR HENRY GOODE, of the marines, shot through the right breast.

PRIVATE TAUMAN, who was wounded and fell off the cliff and was instantly killed.

The injured:

PRIVATE WALLACE, fell off the cliff and sustained a fracture of the leg.

PRIVATE MARTIN, shot through the left leg.

PRIVATE ROXBURY, shot through the arm.

The above are all privates belonging to Company D.

PRIVATE BURKE, shot through the arm.

The first attack of the Spaniards was made at 8 o'clock, and the last shot was fired by them about 3 A. M.

During the night the Spanish attacked the camp of marines on shore, and the Marblehead, believing the Americans had been driven out, threw several shells into the place. The attack, however, was repulsed by the small detachment of marines in camp without trouble. The shells of the Marblehead struck among the marines.

The fight was the first of the war in which the Cubans co-operated with the American forces, and their co-operation was not a glittering success. At one time during the afternoon, when the marines were firing on a small detachment of Spaniards that made their appearance a short distance from the camp, the Cubans began firing without orders and sent a volley right among the Americans. There were several narrow escapes, but no one was injured.

Lieutenant Nevil of Company D was sent out on scout duty, and as on the day previous he attacked a small stone fort. A hot fight followed, and the Spaniards were driven off with loss. It was during this fight that Wallace and Tauman fell over the cliff.

Fifteen dead Spaniards, including one Lieutenant, were found in the fort. During the attack several shots struck the ships in the harbor, penetrating the pilot house of the dispatch boat Dandy. No one was injured.

The night attack was a picturesque and striking spectacle—the crack of Mausers, tongues of fire from every bush encircling the camp, the twitter of long steel bullets overhead, while the machine guns down on the water were ripping open the pickets, and the crash of field guns could be heard as they were driving in canister where the fire of the Spaniards was the thickest. Then there was the screech of the Marblehead's shells as she took a hand in the fight, and the sharp, quick flashing of Colt's rapid firing one-pounder guns from the effectively placed ship launches.

The Dolphin this morning located the Spanish water station on the ocean side of the harbor entrance, which supplied the water for the attacking force. The well was situated in a block-house windmill, having a small garrison. It was shelled at 2,000 yards.

Excellent practice was made. The station was wrecked and canister followed the retreating Spaniards up the steep ravine. Each shell disclosed the spot where it alighted by raising a cloud of dust. The arrival of the fleet to complete the bombardment of the town and its defenses is expected this afternoon.

SPAIN FEARS THE REBELS.

VIENNA, June 14.—The Neuen Freie Presse says that Spain has requested the powers to urge the United States to occupy Manila should the town surrender, and not allow the insurgents to do so.

SPAIN COUNTS ON GERMAN AID.

Associated Press Dispatches by
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MADRID, June 14.—The Spanish press has increased its optimism, based on the belief that Germany intends to prevent a bombardment of Manila by making a naval demonstration. The newspapers urge sacrifices with the view of securing Germany's assistance, and present leaders express themselves in favor of making concessions in return for her taking the initiative in forcing America to release the Philippines.

First—Naval stations and coaling and depots in Spanish Oceanica.

Second—Spanish concurrence in the development of Germany's commercial relations with Morocco.

SAMPSON'S MESSAGE.

Associated Press Dispatches by
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WASHINGTON, June 14.—The Navy Department to-day posted the following bulletin:

"MOLE ST. NICHOLAS, June 14.—Lieutenant Blue has just returned after a detour of seventy statute miles of observation of the harbor of Santiago de Cuba. He reports Spanish fleet is all there.

"The Spanish attacked vigorously the camp at Guantanamo. An outpost of four marines were killed, and their bodies mutilated. Surgeon Gibbs was killed.

(Signed) "SAMPSON."

The last lingering doubt that may have existed as to the presence of Cervera's fleet in its entirety in Santiago harbor was removed when Admiral Sampson's dispatch reached the Navy Department last night. Up to that time information as to the number and character of the vessels in that harbor had been obtained through unofficial sources, supplemented by such glimpses as could be obtained from outside. Now, however, the ships have been actually seen by an American officer and counted and inspected from points of vantage afforded by the big hills surrounding the harbor.

The officials here are full of praise for Lieutenant Blue's achievement. Victor Blue has been long known in the navy as an enterprising and daring young officer, but it required a good deal of sustained courage for him to go ashore in a hostile country and alone make this reconnoissance. He is in the eye of military law nothing more or less than a spy, and had he been captured by the Spaniards he would have been tried by a drum-head court-martial and executed.

Considering the fact that the marines' fight at Guantanamo last Saturday night was really the first engagement of the war on shore, Admiral Sampson's reference to it in his dispatch makes it seem that too much importance has been attached to it by the public. The action of Lieutenant Colonel Huntington in removing his men to a more secure point than the exposed position occupied by them on Crest Heights is taken here as an indication that no offensive movement is to be attempted by the marine corps, but that it will limit its operations to the defense of a small point in Guantanamo harbor to protect the coaling of our warships and perhaps to serve as a cable station when the necessity occurs and instruments are secured from Cape Haytien to enable Sampson to reopen the cut cable.

It does not follow by any means that the place seized and held by the marines on Guantanamo bay is to be used as a point of debarkation for the United States regular troops now on their way to Cuba.

On the contrary, there is the best reason to believe that another point very much better adapted for a landing has been selected. This point also is believed to be much healthier than any point on the shores of Guantanamo bay, where yellow fever is said to be epidemic all the year round.

All the officials here were very loath to believe that the Spanish force which fought the marines at Crest Heights had been guilty of horrible mutilation of the bodies of the soldiers. The first press reports by some of the officers were supposed to be based on the horrible wounds inflicted under certain conditions of range by the steel clad bullet from the Mauser rifles. Admiral Sampson's report, however, seems to remove all doubt on that point, for his surgeons undoubtedly would be able to distinguish at once between the effects of a bullet and a machete.

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SAMPSON PROMOTED.

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WASHINGTON, June 14.—Acting Rear Admiral Sampson, commanding the naval forces operating in the West Indies, whose actual rank in the navy is that of Captain, will become a Commodore on the 3d prox. by the statutory retirement of Rear Admiral William A. Kirkland, Commandant of the Mare Island, California, Navy Yard, who is now the ranking officer of the navy.

In the event of the successful performance of important duties assigned him in the West Indies, including the capture and occupation of Santiago de Cuba and San Juan de Porto Rico, of which his friends have no doubt whatever, Captain Sampson is also assured of further promotion to the actual rank of Rear Admiral, being the highest grade to which he can attain unless Congress shall re-create the grade of Vice-Admiral for his special benefit. Those offices were established during the War of the Rebellion and lapsed with the death of the last incumbents, Admiral Porter and Vice-Admiral Rowan. The plan of promotion adopted by President McKinley in the case of Admiral Dewey and his Captains, for their great achievement in the harbor of Manila, undoubtedly will be followed in case of similar victories by Admiral Sampson and his Captains on this side of the water.

In addition to Admiral Kirkland, five other Admirals will retire during the next few months by operation of law, on account of age. They are Admiral Joseph N. Miller, commanding the Pacific Station; Admiral Montgomery Sicard, President of the War Board; Admiral Mathews, President of the Examining and Retiring Board; Admiral F. S. Bunce, commanding the New York Navy Yard; and Admiral C. S. Norton, commanding the Washington Navy Yard.

With the exception of Admiral Miller, all of these officers are likely to be retained in their present places after their retirement during the continuance of war with Spain because of non-availability on the active list to take their places. Retiring officers are subject to duty of this kind in time of war at the discretion of the President.

It is different with Admiral Miller. He is in command of a fleet, and retired officers are not eligible for such duty unless specially authorized by an act of Congress.

Admiral Kirkland is a native of North Carolina, and it is his purpose to make his home in that State when he is relieved from duty.

Of the seven Rear Admirals, only two are in command of fleets—Admiral Miller, commanding the Pacific squadron, and Admiral Dewey, commanding the Asiatic squadron. Of the officers having flag commands, two are full Rear Admirals, one acting Rear Admiral and the others Commodores. Admiral Miller, the senior officer, has three vessels in his squadron, and acting Rear Admiral Sampson, the junior under his command. The last named officer does not attain the actual rank of a flag officer until he becomes a Commodore next month by the retirement of Admiral Kirkland. His rank as Captain, which he now bears in the naval register, would not ordinarily entitle him to a higher command than that of a single vessel and in putting him in command of the largest and most powerful fleet that was ever gathered under the United States flag, the President found it necessary to give him the nominal rank of Acting Rear Admiral. That designation clothed him with all the authority necessary to the execution of the important duties confided to him, but carried no increase of pay or emoluments and no permanency of rank. No greater compliment was ever paid an officers of the United States Navy.

TERROR AT SAN JUAN.

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NEW YORK, June 14.—The British steamer Lyrian, which sailed from San Juan de Porto Rico on June 6th, arrived today. Captain Angrove reports that the Spanish torpedo boat destroyer Terror was in port when he sailed, with steam up and stored with coal, water and provisions. On arrival at San Juan the Terror's boilers were leaking. Repairs were made and some tubes were fitted in the boilers.

Captain Angrove says that little damage was caused by the bombardment by Admiral Sampson's fleet on May 12th. The forts were not injured. One church had a hole in each end, where a large shell passed through. The captain said he visited all of the forts to see the result of the assault, but could not observe anything unusual. At the gateway of one of the forts stands an unexploded American shell, which is kept there as a souvenir. There were in port the Alfonso XIII and four of the old style gunboats.

NEWS OF HAVANA.

Associated Press Dispatches by
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HAVANA, June 13 (delayed in transmission).—The United States cruiser Montgomery at 4 P. M. yesterday approached nearer than is usually the custom and fired three shots at Punta Grava. The Montgomery then resumed her place in the blockading line. Her projectiles fell very near the battery. A Spanish battery east of Morro Castle fired one shot at another American warship.

The German warship Gefer arrived at Cienfuegos on Saturday last.

The British steamer Myrtledene left Isabela, Sagua, for Halifax on Friday last with 17,500 bags of sugar, a large quantity of manufactured tobacco and fifteen passengers on board. The advices from Matanzas just received say that on Saturday last 200 insurgents, commanded by Bermudez and Aguilad, made an attempt to enter Cumanyagua, province of Matanzas, and succeeded in burning some houses, but the insurgents were repulsed with loss, including one Captain, Morrison, one Lieutenant, and two privates killed and a corporal and nine privates wounded.

The same force of insurgents was afterwards encountered and dispersed with a loss of twelve killed. The insurgents are also reported to have carried away many of their wounded and to have abandoned a quantity of property which they looted at Cumanyagua.

The local guerilla force of Las Jucas, province of Santa Clara, it is officially announced, has been engaged with and dispersed an insurgent force which left eight men killed.

BLANCO'S FAILURE.

Associated Press Dispatches by
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KEY WEST, Fla., June 14, 8:45 A. M.—Captain General Blanco has apparently not yet abandoned the hope of luring the American warships within range of the Havana batteries. He tried again on Friday morning last, but with no better success than in his previous attempts.

Advices received here to-day are to the effect that three Spanish ships ran out to the mouth of Havana harbor on the day mentioned and headed in an easterly direction. The vessels of the blockading squadron were lying well off shore, the nearest not being closer than 2,000 yards. Upon sighting the Spaniards they ran in a short distance and opened fire on them. The volley of shot and shell brought no response from the enemy, but the ships speedily turned tail, and hugging the shore under the batteries, ran back into the harbor. The American ships, however, did not accept the bait, and made no further attempt to molest them. The character of the Spanish boats could not be positively fixed on account of the distance, but the American officers who participated in the affair say one or two small gunboats are of the class which had been operating along the north coast in futile efforts to draw the American ships within the fire of the special batteries. Yesterday afternoon three of the Havana batteries, the Santa Clara battery and sand batteries Nos. 1 and 2, deliberately opened fire on one of the auxiliary gunboats which was cruising closely along the shore.

About a half-dozen shots were fired, none finding any other mark than the sea, although several dropped too close for comfort.

The gunboat made no reply, but hurried out of danger and reported the attack to the flagship of the blockading squadron. No attempt at retaliation, however, was made.

FIGHTING IN MANILA.

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BERLIN, June 14.—Advices received from Shanghai by the Frankfort Zeitung say news has been received there from Manila to the effect that there is fighting every night. The insurgents, it seems, are trying to capture Manila and establish an important government.

The German Consul at Manila, it is further reported, has 300 Germans and Swiss on board a refugee steamer in the harbor.

MONTEJO BLAMES HIS GOVERNMENT.

Associated Press Dispatches by
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LONDON, June 14.—The Times this morning gives space to a two column account of the battle of Manila, including Admiral Montejo's version of the destruction of his fleet. It contains nothing beyond what has already been cabled to the United States, except the statement of Admiral Montejo that he intended to fight at Subic, but finding that it would take at least a month to put Subic in a proper state of defense, he was obliged to return to Cavite. He blames the Madrid Government for the disaster, declaring that he had constantly made requisitions for ships and torpedoes, but that nothing came. As a matter of fact, he had, he said, no torpedoes except such as he constructed himself with bad material.

SUPPOSED SPY IS RELEASED.

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NEW YORK, June 14.—Edward J. Montisi, who was arrested on Saturday as he was about to leave the country on the Prince line steamer Tartar Prince, on suspicion that he was a Spanish spy, and confined in Castle William on Governor's Island, has been released. There was not sufficient evidence on which to hold him.

WILL TRY TO RUN BLOCKADE.

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NEW YORK, June 14.—The agent of the Cuban Republic at Nassau has advised the Cuban delegation in this city that an attempt will be made in the near future by a Spanish schooner at that port to carry provisions to the Spanish army in Cuba.

The name of the schooner which it is expected will attempt to run the blockade is the Belencita, from Nuevitas. The Belencita, upon her arrival at Nassau had on board eight Spanish passengers. She was finally sold to a man named Vargas, who is a British subject. On this account he obtained a British registry for the schooner. It is expected that the vessel will clear for Monte Cristi, San Domingo, but will change her course and attempt to run the blockade on the north coast of Cuba.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE SENATE.

Associated Press Dispatches by
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WASHINGTON, June 14.—A bill reported in the Senate from the Military Affairs Committee by Mr. Hawley of Connecticut, providing that advertisements for supplies needed by the War Department may be inserted in the newspapers of this city, was passed.

The Senate today adopted the Lodge resolution to investigate the payments to agents or lobbyists in the claim of the book concern of the Methodist Episcopal Church South.

CABINET VEXED AT THE DELAYS.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

WASHINGTON, June 14.—The Cabinet meeting today was devoted entirely to a discussion of the army and navy movements. Although the members declined to talk for publication, it is known that the failure of the fleet transports to get under way yesterday, as was expected, was the subject of unfavorable comment.

GROSVENOR'S PLEA FOR ANNEXATION.

Associated Press Dispatches by
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WASHINGTON, June 14.—Referring to this as flag day, the chaplain of the House today prayed that the influence of the flag upon the children might be beneficial to all the people of the country.

Private bills were disposed of and the Hawaiian debate resumed.

Mr. Grosvenor was recognized first, and introducing his remarks, said the pending question was not for party politics and he was not going to appeal to the Republicans of the House to faithfully represent their constituents, which could be best done by supporting the annexation measure.

SPANISH TROOPS IN GOOD SPIRITS.

Associated Press Dispatches by
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LONDON, June 14.—A dispatch from Madrid states that the Government has received the following cablegram from General Rios, from Iloilo:

"Although I have sent seven steamers to Luzon, I am still without news from Manila, as the enemy has cut off communication. During the night of June 6th an American cruiser entered the harbor at Iloilo, and after reconnoitering left, taking a southerly course. Since then I have received no news of the enemy's squadron. I am taking measures to supply the troops and inhabitants with necessities from the resources of the island. The spirits of the troops on the Vizcay Islands are excellent."

ASTOR BATTERY COMING WEST.

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PITTSBURG, June 14.—The Astor Battery of New York, consisting of ninety-eight men and three officers, reached Pittsburg over the Pennsylvania Railroad, at 8:55 this morning, and left an hour later for the West. The train was made up of two Pullmans and two baggage cars.

KLUPFER MUST EARN HIS BREAD.

Begs his Wife to Give From her Abundance of Wealth.

The Court Consigns him to the Results of his own Labor.

Tired and disappointed, aged Fred Klupfer limped from the court-room this afternoon, ordered by the court to depend upon his own handiwork for a living. For a whole day he had been endeavoring to persuade Judge Ogden that he was decrepit and weak, and that his rich wife should support him the balance of his days.

The Klupfer case has been a battle of husband against wife and of children against father. It was brought about by a petition on the part of Mr. Klupfer for an order to compel his wife to pay him $50 a month from her estate. He averred that she was worth $50,000, while he was a penniless bricklayer; that he had entrusted vast sum to his wife, and now she was unwilling to return a farthing. In reciting his alleged wrongs, the old man said that he once gave Mrs. Klupfer a ranch and that she sold it and had to-day $10,000 in the bank and a mortgage for an equal amount.

Klupfer is a bricklayer and although he bases his claim for support upon the fact of a hip broken twenty-six years ago, he to-day admitted on cross-examination that he was anxious to go to the Klondike, where he might "crawl over the ground and pick up a dollar or two a day." Again it was deduced that the old man has been employed at building chimneys until a very recent date.

Mr. and Mrs. Klupfer have not been living together for five years. There is no annulment of the marriage vows, but a simple disposition on the part of each to avoid the other. The aged father lays all the blame at his children's feet.

"It is all the children's fault," he declared. "My wife and I could get along together, but my sons have driven me out of the house, and would kill me if I went back. I had plenty of money when we lived at Virginia City, but they got it all away from me and drove me away from home."

When Mrs. H. B. Arlett, one of Klupfer's daughters, was placed upon the stand to-day, she threw plenty of cold water in her father's face.

"His brother threw him down a flight of stairs and broke his hip twenty-six years ago," she said, "but he fully recovered. His limp is for the occasion. He never used to limp, and has gone about his work forgetful of his ailments until this suit."

Constable Gus Colberg testified that he was sent to Vallejo by Mrs. Klupfer to ascertain her husband's condition, and that he found him employed upon a house. He wanted to go to the Klondike and said he could do so. Colberg declared that Klupfer was earning from $5 to $10 per day at the time, and that he said so.

Mrs. L. M. Metzler, another daughter, railed at her father's assertions concerning the children's conduct and explained in full the property situation.

Judge Ogden at once gave judgment for the wife. Findings were waived.

GRAND JURY RETURNS THREE INDICTMENTS.

The Grand Jury reported to Judge Ellsworth at 3 o'clock this afternoon and brought two indictments.

Previous to its report, the Jury called Deputy Constable Dowling as a witness and also Justice of Peace Clift. The latter was called merely to identify certain papers. Dowling was asked to repeat his original story of the arrest of the two vagrants, Carr and Ramsey.

District Attorney Snook was closeted with the Jury during its entire proceedings.

The Jury returned three indictments. The court looked them over carefully and then conferred with Mr. Snook. Judge Ellsworth asked if the men were in custody and was answered in the negative.

The indictments are said to be against Deputy Constable Dowling, who is accused of malfeasance of office in the charging of alleged fees.

SENSATIONAL WILL CONTEST IN SAN FRANCISCO

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SAN FRANCISCO, June 14.—Two petitions opposing the probate of the will of the late Julius Franklin were filed to-day. The estate is valued at about $500,000 and the allegations made are of a sensational character.

The petitioners are B. J. Franklin, Mollie Wilson and Earle Porter, the children of Franklin by a former marriage with an Indian woman. This marriage, it is alleged, was not dissolved or annulled when Franklin married the woman who is now his widow, and who holds the greater part of the estate left by him. In his will Franklin recognized the petitioners as his children, but he practically disinherited them. They will now contest his will. In their second petition they demand the removal of Mrs. Pauline Franklin as executrix of the estate, because of alleged false returns in the inventory.

The contestants contend that when Franklin made his will he was of unsound mind.

They aver that Franklin married Mary Franklin, an Indian woman, in 1861, and deserted her in 1870, going to Portland, where he engaged in business. Later he came to this city, where he was an agent of a lottery company.

He was reputed to be worth at least $600,000 at the time of his death.

The first wife of the deceased is now living in Portland.

A MUSTY DIARY REVEALS A MYSTERY.

The history of eccentric old John Ahrens was published in Judge Ellsworth's court yesterday afternoon through an old musty diary which was found in his barn.

Ahrens was a familiar character on San Pablo avenue, some years ago. He lived in a shanty on Valley street and was commonly termed a miser. He would tie sacks about his feet and wear the oldest of clothes, preferring thus to live in utter penury than to enjoy the wealth at his command. No one knew him or his past, for he had no confidante.

In 1891 the queer old man was sent to Agnews where he subsequently died. It was then that his property was discovered. He left a mortgage worth several thousand dollars as well as realty valued at $5,000.

No trace of any heirs was found for several years, but yesterday through the musty old book interpreted into English by Max Marcuse, it was ascertained that the property rightly descends upon several German heirs in Hanover. The estate will now be distributed.

THROAT DISEASES commence with a Cough Cold or Sore Throat. "*Brown's Bronchial Troches*" give immediate relief.

DIED.

DANNAKER—In this city, June 12, 1898, William A., beloved husband of Kate Dannaker and father of Fred, William and Archie Dannaker, a native of Bedford, Pa., aged 54 years.

Funeral will take place WEDNESDAY, at 2 P. M., from Loring Hall, Eleventh and Clay streets, under the auspices of Lyon Post, No. 8, G. A. R. Friends and acquaintances are invited.

Summer Things.

Hammocks from 75c; good ones for $1. Fishing tackle for trout and bay work. Sporting goods, standard and all varieties. John P. Maxwell, Fourteenth and Washington.

The Oakland Loan Office.

We beg to say that we have removed from 841 Broadway to 966 Washington street, where we loan money on watches, diamonds and jewelry at lowest rates.

BONDSMEN OF WIDBER MUST MAKE GOOD.

Judge Belcher Decides Against Fidelity Company.

ity and Deposit Company of Maryland ity and Deposit Company of Maryland will have to pay $100,000 for having acted as surety on the bond of A. C. Widber, the defaulting Treasurer of this city. The suit of the city and county to recover the amount of the bonds was decided by Judge Belcher this morning in the plaintiff's favor. As by express stipulation it was agreed that no appeal was taken by either side, the decision of the Superior Court was final.

Barring legal expenses, the city will lose but $18,588 by Widber's defalcation. The amount of the bond will be paid by the Surety Company in ten days.

ARMOUR TAKES LEITER'S WHEAT OFF HIS HANDS.

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CHICAGO, June 14.—P. D. Armour today bought all of Joseph Leiter's cash wheat in the Northwest, amounting to 4,000,000 or 5,000,000 bushels. Semi-authoritative information is also obtained that Armour will take all of Leiter's wheat.

PRESIDENT FAVORS PARIS EXPOSITION.

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WASHINGTON, June 14.—The President today sent to Congress a report made by Thomas W. Cridler, Third Assistant Secretary of State, upon the Paris Exposition.

Mr. Cridler was designated to continue the work as special work in connection with the Exposition.

The President says: "I readily renew my recommendation that a liberal amount be appropriated for this Exposition.

RHODE ISLAND RE-ELECTS ALDRICH.

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NEWPORT, R. I., June 14.—Senator Nelson W. Aldrich was elected by the Legislature today on the first ballot. The vote is as follows:

Senate—Nelson W. Aldrich, 35; A. Benj. Andrews, 1.

House—Aldrich, 61; Andrews, 2; L. D. Garvin, 1.

REPUBLICAN MEETING THIS EVENING.

The Fourth Ward Club Will Hold to Important Session.

There will be a meeting of the Fourth Ward Republican Club in People's Hall, Sixth near Market streets, this evening. Considerable business is to be transacted and a full attendance is desired.

The Club will be called to order at 7:45 o'clock.

LEG BROKEN WHILE JUMPING FROM A CAR.

T. Hashisumi, a Japanese residing at 414 San Pablo avenue, was treated today at the Receiving Hospital for a compound fracture of the right leg. The young fellow was jumping from a Haywards car, when his foot caught in the step and his ankle was broken. Doctors Milton and Sanborn set the limb.

CHARGED WITH GRAND LARCENY.

James Burns of Alameda, was brought to the County Jail this afternoon charged with grand larceny.

Something New In Underwear

Royal Silk Plush Underwear so constructed that it will not irritate the most sensative skin, and the silk plush on the inside of the garment causes a friction that warms the body without overheating it.

Step in and examine it.

Price $1.50 per garment.

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WEATHER BUREAU'S WEEKLY BULLETIN.

Wheat Harvesting Will Soon Begin and Fruit Looks Well.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 14.—The crop summary for this State for the week ending June 13th, is as follows:

The second week in June was marked by scant rainfall, and temperature about normal. Light showers fell along the coast on the 9th and 10th.

In the northern portion of the Sacramento valley there were thunder showers on the 12th, with a rainfall of a tenth of an inch.

Cloudy weather has prevailed along the entire coast, with frequent heavy fogs. On the whole the weather has been favorable for vegetation.

Haying is nearly over, and more hay of good quality is reported than was expected a month ago. Grain also will yield more than anticipated. Considerable wheat will be harvested within the coming fortnight.

Fruit of all kinds is doing well. Apples promise a very large crop. Pears and prunes are developing nicely; beats, potatoes and onions flourishing; oranges will make a heavy crop. Alfalfa hay grown on irrigated lands is of great help to stock.

In Orange county it is reported that much of the short barley hay has been saved by attaching a table to mowing machines, catching the short hay and saving it in winnows clear of dirt.

EDWARDS DAVIS IS WILLING TO EXPLAIN.

He Asks to be Tried on Special Charges Before the Tribunal.

The Rev. Edwards Davis will shortly be given an opportunity to explain his actions while pastor of the Central Christian church. Davis attended the ministers' meeting held in San Francisco yesterday and asked that the matter be brought to a speedy hearing. A committee of ministers consisting of Rev. W. A. Gardner, Rev. W. D. Berry and Rev. A. R. Hathaway met yesterday to formulate methods for bringing into existence a council of inquiry or arbitration which would be acceptable to the suspended pastor and the members of the congregation who have charges to present. Owing to a disagreement on the subject of the articles to be presented to the council, no progress was made yesterday by the committee.

Articles calling for special charges on which the pastor is willing to stand were signed by Davis and by Rev. R. H. Sawyer, who was appointed to occupy the Central pulpit for three months. The time has now expired, and the resignation of Sawyer has been sent in and accepted. The disaffected members of the congregation are willing to sign articles carrying general charges, but refuse to submit specific ones for arbitration. The committee adjourned in order to see J. B. V. Wishart of Oakland, whose signature is sought to the articles as signed by Davis.

OFFICIAL RECORDS.

MONDAY, JUNE 13, 1898.

DEEDS.

March 15, 1898—Martha G. Bailey to Geo. M. Sheldon, lots 4 to 7 blk 6, Central Park tract, Bkly; $10.

June 10, 1898—Robert C. Reigg to Addie C. Reigg, E Humboldt av 93-1 S Derby st S 46-6 E 150 N 44-10 W 137-6 to beg being lot 5 blk R, Leonard tract, Bkly; gift.

April 5, 1898—Geo. S. and Jennie Gates to T. B. Draper, N Jones av 100 E Chestnut st E 50 x N 141 being lot 3 blk 14, Warner tract., Bklyn Tp; $10.

June 7, 1898—Wm. S. Prescott to Arthur G. Forster, und ½ int SE Fremont av 590 NE E-14th st NE 50 x SE 137 being lot 14 blk B, corrected map Linda Rosa tract, Bklyn Tp; $20.

June 7, 1898—E. M. and Jennie A. Smith and Edward K. Taylor to Jennie Gates, wife Geo., N Eagle av 99-2 W Willow st W 34-7 x N 120 blk 13, lds adjct to Encinal, Ala; $10.

June 6, 1898—Manuel R. Pinheiro to Maria L. Pinheiro S cor "D" and 2d sts SE 109 x SW 182 blk 12, town of Haywards, Eden Tp; gift.

June 13, 1898—David McCarron extr estate Jas McPeake, to Jas W Lindeham, S 28th st 265 E West st E 50 x S 100 blk 2024, Whitcher tract map 2, Okd; $775.

June 11, 1898—Geo. M., Thos., Jas. P., Ellen, Wm. R. and Katie Segurson to Frederick A. Dodge, NW 12th and Campbell sts W 30 x N 110 being lot 10 blk I, tract 383, Okd; $10.

June 13, 1898—Wm. Dingee, referee in action Warren Olney, Jr., vs Augusta M. and A. Tornblom, Rebecca Douglas, Thos. V. and Victor L. O'Brien, to Victor L. O'Brien, N 4th st 125 W Castro st W 25 x N 100 blk 48, Okd; $500.

Dec. 6, 1893—Henry Lincoln to Eva V. Dewing, SW line Villa Terrace and San Pablo av S 120 W 300 N to a point E 300 to beg blk 6, San Pablo av Villa tract; lot 19 blk 6, same, Okd Tp; $10.

June 10 1898—Myron L. and Rebecca Wurts to Fannie I. Springsteen, lots 11 and 12 and E ½ of lot 10 blk 2107, Alden tract at Temescal, Okd Annex; $10.

June 8, 1898—V. R. and J. A. Parker to Emily K. Latham, lot 6 blk D, Latham Terrace, subj to mtge, Bklyn Tp; $10.

June 8, 1898—Emily K Latham by atty to Harry L. Holcomb, lots 4, 6 and 7 blk D, same tract Bklyn Tp; $10.

June 13 1898—V. R. and J. A. Parker to same, lots 4 and 7 blk D, same tract, Bklyn Tp; $10.

June 11, 1898—Frederick A. Dodge to Geo. M., Thos., Ellen, Jas. P. and Wm. R. Segurson, lots 6 to 11, map of Turnbull tract being a sub ptn lot 7, Yoakum tract, Bklyn Tp; $10

June 11, 1898—Sadie I. Regan to City of Alameda, lot 83, Encinal Park tract, Ala.

May 18, 1898—C. S. and Emma L. Long to C. S. Long Co. (a cptn) SE "C" st 200 NE Main st NE 206 SW 213.94 SW 40.46 SE 213.94 SW 80 NW 213.94 SW 40 E 213.94 SW 40 NW 213.94 SW 26.54 NE 215 to beg blk 38, town of Haywards; S "A" st distant SW 36 from W line Alice st SW 600 x SE 200, contg 2.755 acres, town of Haywards; N line road Haywards to Amador Valley where W line San Lorenzo road or Market st intersects Amador road, th SW 639.47 NW 408.72 NE 400 SE 158.72 NE 239.47 SE 250 to beg, town of Haywards; NW cor county road No. 1536 and Central Pacific RR right of way th W 215.5 N 32.36 N 388.87 E 140 SE 479.2 to beg blk I Hathaway tract, San Leandro, Eden Tp; $10.

PROBATE.

5,275—June 13, 1898—Est. James Adams, decree distribution to Margaret Adams, 82.12 acres beg 12 feet W of an iron bolt at SW cor lds formerly occupied by Wm. R. Field, th NW 20.53 chs SW 41.17 chs SE 20.52 chs NE 39.06 chs to beg; Wash Tp; also personal ppty.

5,721—June 6, 1898—Est Catharine McPeake, order setting apart homestead to Catharine McPeake, S 28th st 265 E West st E 50 x S 100, Okd.

4,624—Apr. 18, 1898—Est Jas. McPeake, order confirming sale to Catherine D. Linehan, S 28th 265 E West st E 50 x S 100 blk 2,024, Whitcher tract map 2, Okd, $625.

MORTGAGES.

June 1, 1898—Carrie H. and Wm. B. Furman to C. Chichester, lots 1 and 2 blk C, Parsons' Golden Gate tract, 2 years 1 per cent per month, Okd Anx, $250.

June 11, 1898—Colin Paul to S. A. Eldridge, E Telegraph av 124 N 22d st N 50 x E 115 blk 10, map of Pacific Hd, Okd, 3½ per cent, $2,000.

June 8, 1898—Ann M. Laidlaw to E. L. Reese, E Webster st 1,322 N 13th st N 55 x E 156, Okd, June 8, 1900, 7½ per cent, $800.

June 11, 1898—Geo. M., Thos., Jas. P., Ella and Wm. R. Segurson to Chas. S. Moore, lots 6 to 11 being a sub of ptn lot 7, Yoakum tract, Bklyn Tp, 1 year 10 per cent, $250.

June 11, 1898—A. J. and Flora J. Burgner to Mary Clawater, N Briggs av 970 E High st E 30 x N 203, Ala, 3 years 8 per cent, $1,700.

DEEDS OF TRUST.

Apr. 2, 1898—Henry and Mary A. Lange to Isaac L. Requa and W. W. Garthwaite trs Okd Bank of Svgs, SW E-12th st 125 SE 13th av SE 40 x SW 150 blk 39, Clinton, E Okd, $700.

May 17, 1898—Jas. and Josefa O. Johnstone to same, E Malden lane 161-4 S Taylor st S 25 x E 75, Okd, $525.

June 1, 1898—Geo. W. and Ellen Jones to J. West Martin and Wm. G. Henshaw trs Union Svgs Bank, W West st 50 S 19th st S 25 x W 100 blk S, Barnes tract, Okd, $1,000.

June 7, 1898—Fred'k and Louise Senram to same, E Telegraph av at NW cor lds of Chamberlin, th E 236.05 S 37.09 E 207.04 N 250 W 472 S 220 to beg being ptn Vicente Peralta Reservation, Okd Anx, $2,000.

RELEASES.

June 11, 1898—S. A. Eldridge to Colin Paul, 524 m 250, E Telegraph av 124 N 22d st N 50 x E 115 blk 10, Pacific Hd, Okd, $2,000.

June 11, 1898—Jose F. Vargas to Joe S. Ferry, 561 m 327, 7 acres beg at a pt in middle county road Centerville to Niles, which bears NE 422-3 ft from W cor lds fmly estate of Jose S. Santos dec'd the same being the N cor lds of Beck th SE 571.5 ft SE 442.7 ft NW 1197.4 ft SW 293.2 ft to beg, Wash Tp, $700.

June 7, 1898—Joaquin Martin to T. S. and Anna S. de Azevedo, 561 m 217, 1½ acres beg at a pt in middle of county road Niles to Mowry's Ldg which pt bears NE 10.645 chs from intersection of middle line of said county road with middle line county road Centerville to Irvington, th NW 6.215 chs SW 2.389 chs NE 2.389 chs to beg, Wash Tp, $400.

June 11, 1898—Chas. S. Moore to F. A. Dodge, 583 m 117, lots 6 to 11, Turnbull tract, being a sub ptn lot 7, Yoakum tract, Bklyn Tp, ptl, $200.

June 2, 1898—Alameda Savings Bank to Chas. Spatz and Agnes S. Hauch, 572 m 185, N Santa Clara av 220 W 8th st W 50 x N 150, Ala, $200.

Marginal—B. O. Williamson to J. and Josephine O. Johnstone, 549 m 449, E Malden lane 161-4 S Taylor st S 25 x E 75, Okd, $800.

June 13, 1898—Jas. Connor to Myron L. Wurts, 503 m 40, the E ½ lot 10 and W ½ lot 11 blk 2,107, Alden tract at Temescal, Okd Anx, partial, $200.

June 10, 1898—Emily K. Latham to V. R. and J. A. Parker, 309 m 220, lot 6 blk D, Latham Terrace, Bklyn Tp, $700.

June 13, 1898—Lizzie de Verner to Jas. McCrake, 509 m 173, lots 16 and 17 blk 2021, Whitcher tract map 2, Okd, $100.

June 13, 1898—Mary Claweter to L. B. and Mary I. Davis, 450 m 373, N Briggs av 270 E High st E 30 x N 203, Ala, $2,217.

ASSIGNMENTS.

June 11, 1898—F. Kings to J. G. Peller, assigns X pp m 439, made by C. A. & Mary Doyle July 24, 1897, for $230, furniture etc at 228 9th st, Okd, $1.

LIS PENDENS.

15,225—June 11, 1898—T. W. O'Neill recv'r Union B. & L. Assn vs. W. O. Brown, to foreclose 441 m 476, lots 163 to 175, 181 to 183 in blks 23 and 24 Map of resub Peralta Park, Okd Tp, $4713.

POWER OF ATTORNEY.

Apr. 20, 1898—Emeline E. Bradley to J. M. Morley, general.

Mar. 4, 1898—Julia Walls to A. F. St. Sure, general.

SUPERIOR COURT ACTIONS.

15,220-D 3—Susan P. Orr vs. Est. Salome Anderson et al, note $420, E. A. Hofman.

15,221-D 2—The Town of Berkeley vs. Christiana Higgine et al, To quiet title to N Felton 65 E Berkeley branch of N. R. R. Co. NE 298.3 W 25.05 S 298.7 E 25.89 to beg, B. A. Hayne.

15,222-D 3—Same vs. Sarah A. McKee, to quiet title to N Todd st 65 from E line right of way Berkeley branch of Northern Railway Co., NE 325.5 W 26.26 S 326.7 E 23.33 to beg, Bkly, Same.

15,223-D 1—K. G. Easton vs. Antoinette Coppe, to foreclose street lien, N Isabella st 234.30 E 22d st N 139.26 E 25 S 139.21 W 25 to beg, Okd, $45, A. & H. K. Bells.

15,224-D 2—Same vs. Same, to foreclose street lien etc, $120, Same.

15,225-D 3—T. W. O'Neill receiver Union B & L. Assn vs. W. O. Brown, as in lis pendens $4713, A. M. Johnson.

INCORPORATION.

1384—Denison News Co., place of business Okd, capital stock $50,000, 50,000 shares at $1 per share, directors and shareholders—Eli S. Denison, H. N. Sloper, Harry, Celia M., and J. L. Denison, signed June 11, 1898, filed June 13, 1898.

JUDGMENTS.

13,583—Wm. F. Whittier vs. Frank W. Fuller et al, confirms sale by referee etc.

15,027—Henry Conroy et al vs. Wm. W. Norris, removes trustee etc.

14,831—J. R. Bernal et al vs Peo Ochoa, final decree quieting title.

11,545—A. C. Freeman vs. Oakland Paving Co., of dismissal.

14,555—Guadalerke Rojas vs. R. A. Rojas, decree of divorce.

14,327—Towle & Broadwell vs. Jas. Smillie, $465.

7961—Francis Wedde vs. Chas. M. Wedde, amends original decree.

15,046—Mancha M. White vs. Jas. A. White, decree of divorce.

13,283—Frank P. Bacon vs. L. J. Wall, of dismissal.

COMMISSIONERS' SALES.

June 14, 1898—Oakland Bank of Savings vs. Lela M. Vinzent et al., lot 4 blk R, Oakland View Hd Assn, Okd. At 10 A. M. in front of Court House.

June 20, 1898—Calvin Wyman vs. Addie Turner et al., lot 1 contg 16.501 acres being ptn plot 40, Rio El Valle de San Jose (Hardin estate), Murray Tp. At 10 A. M. in front of Court House.

June 28, 1898—Mary A. Ryan vs. Jens Chr Christensen et al., lots A-3 and A-4, map of lots 4 and 5 blk A, J. E. McElrath tract, Okd Anx. At 10 A. M. in front of Court House.

THE PRODUCE MARKET.

FLOUR AND MILLSTUFFS.

FLUOR—Family extras, $5.50@5.60; bakers' extras, $5.25@5.35 per bbl.

MILLSTUFFS—Prices in sacks are as follows, usual discount to the trade: Graham flour, $3 per 100 lbs; rye flour, $2.75 per 100; rice flour, $6; cornmeal, $2.50; extra cream cornmeal, $3.25; oatmeal, $4; oat groats, $4.25; hominy, $3.25@3.50; buckwheat flour, $4@1.25; cracked wheat, $3.75; farina, $4.75; whole wheat flour, $3.25; rolled oats (barrels), $5.50@6.20; in sacks, $5.50@6; pearl barley, $4.75; split peas, $4.25; green peas, $4.50 per 100 lbs.

HAY AND FEEDSTUFFS.

MIDDILINGS—$20.50@23.50 per ton.

FEEDSTUFFS—Rolled barley, $26@27; oilcake at the mill, $31@31.50; jobbing, $32@32.50; cocoanut cake, $24@25; cottonseed meal, $28@30 per ton; cornmeal, $24.50; cracked corn, $25.

BRAN—$16@17 per ton.

HAY—(Ex-car in round lots)—Wheat, $20@23; wheat and oat, $19@22; oat, $18@19; barley, ——; compressed wheat, $21@24; compressed oat, $16@18; alfalfa, $12@13.50; clover, nominal.

NEW HAY—Wheat, wire bound, $17@19; island barley, $12@14.

STRAW—65@65c per bale.

BEANS AND SEEDS.

BEANS—Bayos, $2.90@3; small whites, $2@2.10; large whites, $1.90@2.05; pinks, $2.60@2.70; reds, $2.75; blackeye, $3.25@3.40; butters, $1.75@1.90; limas, $2.30@3; pea, $1.85@2; red kidneys, $2.65@2.75 per ctl.

SEEDS—Brown mustard, $2.25@2.50 per ctl; yellow mustard, $3.15@3.25; flax, $2.25; canary seed, 2¼@2¾c per lb; alfalfa, 3@6c; rape, 2¼@2¾c; hemp, 2¾@3c; timothy, 5@5¼c.

DRIED PEAS—Niles, $1.75@2; green, $2@2.10 per ctl.

POTATOES, ONIONS, VEGETABLES.

POTATOES—Old burbanks, 25@60c per sack; Oregon burbanks, 40@50c; new potatoes, 40@75c for early rose and 50@75c for burbanks, in boxes.

ONIONS—New, 50@60c per ctl for red and 75@85c for yellow.

VEGETABLES—Asparagus, $1.25@2 for extra large, $1@1.50 per box for No. 1; 50@75c for small; rhubarb, 50c@$1 per box; green peas, 75c@$1.25 per sack; string beans, 3@8c; horse beans, 40@50c per sack; summer squash, 65c@$1 per box; dried peppers, 6@7c per lb; dried okra, 12½c; cabbage, 50@60c per ctl; carrots, 30@50c per sack; garlic, 5c per lb; cucumbers, 50@85c per box; Vacaville tomatoes, $1.50@2 per box.

EVAPORATED VEGETABLES—Potatoes, sliced, raw, 12c per lb in lots of 25 lbs; sliced dessicated, 16@18c; granulated raw, 13c; onions, 60c; carrots, old, 13c; new, 18c; cabbage, 30c; sweet potatoes, 30c; turnips, 25c; string beans, 30c; tomatoes, 50c.

POULTRY AND GAME.

POULTRY—Live turkeys, 15@12c for gobblers and 10@12c for hens; geese, per pair, 75c@$1; goslings, $1@1.25; ducks, $3@3.50 for old and $3@4.50 for young; hens, $4.50@6; roosters, young, $7@9; roosters, old, $3.75@4; fryers, $5@6.50; broilers, $4@5 for large and $2@3.50 for small; pigeons, $1.25@1.50 per dozen for young and $1 for old.

GAME—Nominal.

BUTTER, CHEESE AND EGGS.

BUTTER—Creamery—Fancy Creameries, 18@19c; seconds, 17½@18c.

Dairy—Choice to fancy, 16½@17½c; second grades, 15@16c per lb.

Eastern Butter—Imitation creamery, 15@16½c; indie packed, 15@16c per lb.

CHEESE—Choice mild new, 9c; Cream Cheddar, 10@11c; Young America, 9@10c; Eastern, 12@13c per lb.

EGGS—Ranch eggs, 16@18c per dozen; store eggs, 14@15c; duck eggs, 16c.

DECIDUOUS AND CITRUS FRUITS.

DECIDUOUS FRUITS—Strawberries, $2@5 per chest for large and $6@9 for small berries; apples, 40@50c per box for common, 50c@$1.50 for good to choice and 30@40c per basket; white cherries, 15@25 per lb for black; black, 25@40c; currants, $2@3.50 per chest; blackberries, 80@90c crate; plums, 40@60c per crate and 25@50c per box; apricots, 35@50c per box and 60c per crate for royals; peaches, 25@75c per box and —— per basket; gooseberries, 1@2c per lb for common and 4@5c for English.

CITRUS FRUITS—Navel oranges, $2.50@3.25; seedlings, 75c@$1.25; lemons, 50c@$1 for common and $1.25@2 for good to choice; Mexican limes, $3.50@4; California limes, in small boxes, 40@50c; bananas, $1.25@2 per bunch; pineapples, $3@4 per dozen.

PROVISIONS.

CURED MEATS—Bacon—9c per lb for heavy, 9½c for light medium, 10c for light, 11c for extra light and 12@12½c for sugar cured; Eastern sugar cured hams, 10½@11c; California hams, 9½@10c; mess beef, $10.50 per bbl; extra mess beef, $11; family beef, $11@12; salt pork, $9; extra prime pork, $10; extra clear, $17@17.50; mess, $15; smoked beef, 12c per lb.

LARD—Eastern tierces quoted at 6c per lb for compound and 8½c for pure; pails, 9¼c; California tierces, 5½c per lb for compound and 7½c for pure; half barrels, 7¾c; 10 lb tins, 8½c; 5 lb tins, 8¾c.

COTTOLENE—Tierces, 6⅞@7⅛c packages, less than 300 lbs—1 lb pails, 60 in a case, 9½c; 3 lb pails, 20 in a case, 8¾c; 5 lb pails, 12 in a case, 8½c; 10 lb pails, 6 in a case, 8⅜c; 50 lb tins, 1 or 2 in a case, 7⅝c; wooden buckets, 20 lbs net, 8½c; fancy tubs, 80 lbs net, 7⅝c; half barrels, about 110 lbs, 7¾c per lb.

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LAMB—Spring, 8@8½c per lb.

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shell and 8½@9c for paper-shell; peanuts, 4@5½c for Eastern and 4½c for California; 7@7c for hardshell and 4@6c for softshell; almonds, 3@4c for hardshell, 6@7c for soft-

COAL—Wellington, $8 per ton; new Wellington, $8; Southfield Wellington, $7.50; Seattle, $8; Bryant, $6; Coos Bay, $5; Wallsend, $7.50; Scotch, $10; Cumberland, $10.25 in bulk and $11.50 in sacks; Pennsylvania anthracite egg, $14; Cannel, $10 per ton; Rock Springs, Castle Gate and Pleasant Valley, $7.50; coke, $12 per ton in bulk and $14 in sacks.

SUGAR—The Western Sugar Refinery fine crushed, 7c; powdered, 6¼c; dry granulated, 5⅞c; confectioners' A, 5⅞c; magnolia A, 5⅜c; extra C, 5¼c; golden C, 5⅛c per lb; half bbls ⅛c more than bbls, 5c; candy granulated, 5⅞c; California A, and boxes ⅛c more.

DRIED FRUITS, NUTS, RAISINS, ETC.

DRIED FRUITS—Prunes, carload lots, 4¾@5c for 40-50's, 4¼@4½c for 50-60's, 3¾@4c for 60-70's, 2½@3c for 70-80's; 2@2½c for 80-90's, 1¾@2c for 90-100's; peaches, 3@5c; fancy, 5½@6c; peeled, 10@12½c; apricots, 5@6½c for royals and 7@8c for good to fancy moorparks; evaporated apples, 7½@8c; sun-dried, 4½@5c; black figs in sacks, 2@2½c; plums, 4½@4¾c for pitted and 1¾@1½c for unpitted; bleached plums, 5@5¼c; nectarines, 4@5c for prime to fancy; pears, 2½@4½c for quarters and 3@5½c for halves, according to color, etc.

NUTS—Chestnuts, 8c per lb; walnuts, pecans, 6½@8c; filberts, 9½@10c; Brazil nuts, 8@9c per lb; cocoanuts, $4.50@5 per 100.

RAISINS—1½@2c for two crown, 3c for three crown, 3½c for four crown, 4½c for seedless sultanas, 2¾c for seedless muscatels and $1@1.10 for London layers; dried grapes, 2½c.

HONEY—Comb, 9@10c for bright and 6@7c for lower grades; water white extracted, 5½@6c; light amber extracted, 4¾@5½c per lb.

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LOST—Between Eighth and Union and Broadway, a set of teeth. Reward by returning to this office.

LOST—On the 7:30 narrow gauge train from San Francisco, on May 13th, an umbrella with "L. D." on the handle. The finder will be rewarded by returning the same to 630 East Twelfth st., East Oakland.

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Weather Forecast.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 14.—Generally fair to-night and Wednesday; fresh west wind.

TUESDAY.....JUNE 14 1898.

A big cargo of codfish got into port yesterday from Alaska. It is to be delivered C. O. D.

A New Jersey infant has been named Walter Sampson, Schley, Dewey Cullen. He must belong to that mosquito fleet.

If you have a United States flag in the house, hang it out to-day. This is the hundred and twenty-first birthday of the Stars and Stripes as our National standard.

Blanco's army is 50,000 strong. Shafter's invaders are but 14,500. Although the Spaniards outnumber our forces more than 3 to 1, it is a 2 to 1 proposition that we beat them.

Blanco is being given an opportunity to prove his boast that he could defend Cuba and keep the Americans out without the aid of a navy. Even he must admit, though, that he has made a poor start.

Phil Armour seems to have the laugh on Leiter after all. What with his clean-up as a bear on 'change and the profits on the orders for millions of pounds of canned meats for the army, money must be easy for the pork-packing king just now.

It is said that the continental Nations will guarantee an indemnity to us if we will let go of the Philippines after the war is over. They are apparently fearful of seeing our flag planted permanently in a part of the world that they are figuring on carving up among themselves sooner or later.

It must have been a good year for the gold brick industry. Statistics show that the farmers have had more money in their possession during the past twelve months than for any other year since the celebrated high water one of 1892. They must have done something like that with it, for you don't hear many of them acknowledge that they have any now.

So young Mr. Leiter got off on the wrong side of the deal after all and instead of cleaning up several millions as was generally supposed, he appears to be on the eve of assignment. There is one good thing about the result, it will furnish a warning instead of an inducement to those impressionable people who have been reading accounts of the immense fortunes he has been making and who probably have been figuring on trying their luck at the same game.

It is quite a shock to the overbearing policemen across the bay to find that there is one spot in the metropolis where their authority is laughed at. One of them, doubtless thinking that his customary terrorizing methods held good, attempted to lay violent hands on one of the volunteers who was doing sentry duty at Camp Merritt. The next minute his head was cracked open with the butt end of a rifle and he was being hauled off to the guard-house a prisoner. A bobby's star doesn't count for much in a military camp.

Judging by the climatic reports regarding the Philippines, our California boys will have little use for the huge blankets they wore strapped across their shoulders as they marched to the troop-ships. Even in winter the temperature varies from 65 to 85 degrees, while during the summer months the unacclimated person never stops perspiring day or night. As in addition to this a specially hot time is to be made for the Spaniards, an ice wagon ought to be a popular institution around there a month or so from now.

Admiral Camara's fleet it is said has been found to be unfit for sea. It seems strange that the discovery should have been made at so late a date and it looks as if Spain is giving the statement out as an excuse for not sending the ships to the front. It is certain that if they started for America they would only be inviting destruction or capture, so after their experiences with the Montijo and Cervera squadrons the Spanish Ministers have probably decided to hold on to one or two boats, as it is a sure thing that they will have no money with which to buy more when the war is over

A DEMAND FOR LABOR.

A remarkable illustration of the manner in which labor conditions change is evidenced in to-day's dispatches. The wire from Kansas announcing that the farmers are in dismay as to who they can get to handle their crops and that an effort will be made to obtain 3,000 laborers from California. Inducements of $1.75 a day and board are offered and that the affair is not a myth is evidenced by the announcement that the Santa Fe line has been authorized to ship the men at a nominal rate of transportation as fast as they can be obtained.

Those who can recall the conditions that existed in Kansas only half a dozen years ago will indeed be inclined to ponder over the remarkable manner in which things are changed. It was one of the few States in which a seeker for work hesitated to go, for wages were notoriously low there and labor scarce. Yet here are inducements far ahead of those to be had in the majority of the Western States, in addition to which the assurance is given that the work will last all summer.

There are two main reasons to account for this. The first is the war. Kansas was one of the first States to send her boys to the front and in the sturdy regiments from that State that have been encamped across the bay can be found a large percentage of the farming classes. This therefore has sorely depleted the natural labor market, and the gaps must be filled somehow. The other reason is the enormously abundant harvest Kansas is called on to reap this year. The fields of grain and corn are said to be teeming with produce as they never were before, the drouth that prevailed in the far West not having been felt in the more central States which were on the contrary more favored by nature than ever. To handle these enormous crops will therefore far outtax the labor resources of the State which having been already weakened by the military drain cannot attempt to cope with the demands.

One very patent deduction to be drawn from all this is that there need be no more cries going up throughout the country that men cannot get work. Kansas is not alone in this matter for many other States also have much more of a demand for labor than there is a supply, especially in those sections where regiments have been recruited. While war has its horrors it also has its blessings and this providing work for needy toilers can in a way be declared one of them.

The departure of the troops from San Francisco to-day will doubtless bring about a repetition of the impressive scenes that attended the sailing of the first section of the Philippine army. The loyalty of our soldier boys has brought them very near the hearts of the people and there cannot fail but be a certain saddness associated with their departure for many of them go never to come back. There could be no nobler death, though, than to answer the call wearing the uniform of a United States soldier; so even though they know that some of them will never see the Golden Gate again, the boys go willingly and gladly to whatever fate awaits them.

Here is rather a harsh arraignment of the volunteers by one of the war correspondents: "The men are all that could be expected, no doubt, but they are anything but soldiers. They are a good-natured, peaceable and patriotic mob." That such a comment is uncalled for is plain on the face of it. How could volunteers, the majority of whom have come straight from business houses and workshops, be expected to possess all the requirements of a trained military force. Give them a chance and encourage them instead of sneering at them and they will hold their own with any army in the world.

Senator Sagasta is doing good politics in urging Weyler's name as that of the General to command the relief expedition to the Philippines. The "butcher" has been stirring up revolutionary sentiments by his declarations of what he could do with the Yankees, so by getting him over there to certain defeat, Sagasta will have an enemy to the dynasty out of the way. Weyler cannot very well refuse to go in view of his recent bombastic utterances of what he would do if given an opportunity.

In addition to the crusade against cigarette smokers because so many of them were rejected by the military authorities as unfit for active service, a similar attack is being made on scorchers. It is claimed that many would-be recruits were turned away owing to physical incapacity consequent to the habitual use of low handlebars. The humping of the back and the cramping of the chest and vital organs are said to produce abnormal and unhealthy conditions of the heart and spine.

The advice of President Eliot of Harvard University on the subject of enlistment should be kept before the public as much as possible until the present exigencies are over. He said: "No young man is justified in enlisting, whose family is, or probably may become, dependent upon him for support, or on whom the family depends for the transmission of its name to another generation. The only son, and particularly the only son of a widow, has no right to enlist."

The Santa Ana Blade says that a Western paper recently requested answers to the question, "What do you regard as the most common fault of present-day young men?" and that the most original answer was, "Preference for a white-shirt job." It may be considered original in the sense that the young men sought a job at all, for certainly the most common fault is that they try to live without working.

The Fourth of July has been locating itself very charmingly for the last three years. In 1896 it came on a Saturday, last year on Sunday and this year Monday. In each instance a complete two-days' holiday being obtained. Only those who are tied down to business day in and day out, all the year around can appreciate how welcome such a combination is.

The announcement that "the Philadelphia is going to Honolulu as soon as she is ready to sail, and that she will stay there until the American flag is hoisted" looks as if the administration is confident as to what the outcome of the Congressional fight will be. There will be no occasion for the Philadelphia to tarry there long if she is only to stay until our flag is hoisted, for they are only too anxious to run it up at the first opportunity.

Congressman Barham's prospects for returning to Washington seem excellent, for one of the counties of his district has already endorsed him for the renomination and the rest seem inclined to fall into line. They are very much interested in river and harbor matters in that part of the State and his work on those lines has been thoroughly satisfactory to them.

While Congress is making preparations for the taking of the twelfth census, it might be well to figure on field deputies for Cuba, the Philippines and Porto Rico. It looks as if they will be on the list by that time.

IN THE COURTS TODAY

The account of F. W. Corder, an insolvent, has been settled by Judge Greene.

An order has been issued vesting the title to the homestead of the late Catharine McPeake to the estate of her dead husband.

Letters of administration have been issued to Frank Catano on the estate of Frank L. George, deceased.

The motion to dismiss the appeal case of Hobson against Borman has been granted by Judge Ogden.

The case of Charles Mautalen against John Fearn has been re-set for July 7th.

Sophie M. Hartmann has withdrawn her petition for letters of administration on the estate of Joseph Hoffman, and the Public Administrator has been appointed.

The citation issued to Robert M. Campbell to show cause why he has not paid the funeral expenses of Delia M. Campbell due to the Pacific Undertakers was not responded to yesterday, and the matter has been continued to August 1st.

The executor of the estate of Stephen Larkin, deceased, has been directed to distribute $500 of the estate—$300 to John D. Allen, $100 each to Mary Ruth Cook and Caleb William Cook.

Mary B. Pratt has filed a petition asking to have one-third of the estate of Eliza A. Tompkins distributed to petitioner, asserting that Albert and Ira Tompkins are not entitled to participate in the distribution of the estate by reason of the fact that the terms of the will have not been complied with by them.

The petition of Elia May Coward for letters of administration on the estate of Augustus F. Spear Jr. has been dismissed.

James Murphy has petitioned for letters of administration on the estate of his deceased mother, Elizabeth Murphy, who died in this city recently, leaving an estate valued at about $650.

Sheriff White has made return of a writ of attachment levied on a lot in San Leandro owned by Theresa Webb and A. C. Webb, on a debt of $800, with interest from November, 1897.

The case of Stevens against Nelson has been set for trial on July 12th. It is an action to void a trust on the ground of fraud.

Notice of motion to tax costs and to strike out cost bill has been filed in the suit of B. F. Morgan against O. J. Mullen which was recently withdrawn from the local courts to be carried before the United States Circuit Court.

The order issued by Judge Ellsworth May 31st appointing G. C. Hall, J. E. Agar and J. H. McNutt to appraise the estate of Caleb Sadler, late of Berkeley, was today vacated and another issued appointing J. E. Agar, G. C. Hall and Richard Jones.

Decree of distribution has been handdown in the matter of the estate of George H. Stein, deceased. By its terms $250 is left to George W. Galley of Los Angeles and the residue, which consists of a parcel of land at Eighth street and University avenue, this city, is left to Henry Stein.

An order for a writ of assistance was yesterday issued by Judge Ogden to Sheriff White commanding him to put Jay V. Lawrence in possession of premises occupied by Anna M. Wells et al.

Inventory and appraisement of the estate of S. W. Janson shows a total valuation of $5,154.

Supplemental account of the estate of John Ahrens, deceased, shows a balance of cash on hand amounting to $1,872.92.

The suit of A. L. Requa against the Fidelity Mutual Loan Association has been submitted to Judge Ogden on briefs.

BUSINESS OF THE BANKS FOR APRIL.

Edward's Criterion shows the following business done by the banks of Alameda county during the months of April:

Oakland Bank of Savings	21,710	75,690
Union Savings Bank	59450	61,172
Central Bank	10,174	1,500
Farmers & Merchants Savings Bank	13,000	500
Alameda Savings Bank	28,200	36,900
Berkeley Bank of Savings	6,700	2,400
California Bank	....	.....
Bank of Alameda	....	2,500
Bank of Livermore	1,675	part'l
Bank of Haywards	....	.....
Bank of Pleasanton	1,700	1,700
Bank of San Leandro	2,000	2,500
Okd Loan & Invest Co.	9,428	6,700

Prospective Bicycle Races.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., June 14.—Walter C. Sanger has received a letter from "Dixie" Hines, the celebrated match maker, relative to a proposed pursuit race with Coulter, the noted unpaced bicycle rider of Denver, also a paced race with Linton or McDuffie. Though Sanger's intended retirement was announced some time ago, he now evinces a willingness to meet Coulter, providing a suitable purse is hung up. Sanger is also willing to meet Linton or McDuffie in a ten or fifteen mile paced race if an agreement can be arrived at as to pacemakers.

Fire Destroys Granite Plant.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

BARRE, Vt., June 14.—The most disastrous fire ever known in Barre occurred just before midnight last night, when Mackie, Hussey & Co.'s granite plant was totally destroyed. It was the second largest granite plant in New England, the loss being $100,000; insurance, $28,000. The fire is supposed to be the work of an incendiary.

Stone Versus Magnussen.

The case of L. Stone against Catherine Magnussen to recover for the removal of a house from the plaintiff's premises is occupying Judge Ogden's attention this afternoon.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

The Jolly Good Fellows will give a dance at Pythian Hall tonight for the benefit of the Red Cross funds. The Athenian orchestra has donated its services and the hall is also given without charge.

Miss Margaret Hall of Alameda has gone to Yreka to spend a month.

E. F. Gerald is spending his vacation at Applegate, Placer county.

T. R. Brown of Alameda is spending his summer vacation in Lake county.

Henry Shed, Al Groggin and Montie Goggin of Alameda leave for Niles Canyon next week on a camping trip.

John Gillam of Alameda will spend the coming fortnight at Templeton, San Luis Obispo.

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Fabens of Alameda have gone to Calaveras canyon on a camping trip.

A. S. Woodward and family of Alameda will spend the summer at Skyland in the Santa Cruz mountains.

Mrs. H. E. Southworth has returned to Stockton after a three-weeks visit in this city.

Miss Mabel Thompson of Stockton has been visiting friends in Haywards.

The Misses Lancaster of this city are spending the summer at Los Gatos.

Miss Carrie Pratt has returned from Lake county.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. McNear have been spending a few days at San Andreas, where they have a country home.

A. W. Burrell and son, I. H. Burrell, have gone to Los Angeles and Ventura on business connected with the building of a new county bridge at the latter place.

W.H. Troumbley, an Oakland banker, wife and children, are spending a few weeks at the Heald ranch in Oat Valley, Cloverdale.

Miss Alice Kimball and Master Albert Kimball of Palo Alto are visiting friends in Oakland this week.

Mrs. S. D. Post and Miss Post of Stockton are spending a few weeks in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Reier of Stockton have removed to this city.

Mrs. Emma Braunton, who has been spending a few days in this city, has returned to Stockton.

Miss M. B. Forman is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. T. E. Gallup of Santa Clara.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Johnson are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Eckhardt of Sacramento.

Miss Hattie Wilder of this city is the guest of Mrs. Dr. Rogers of Gilroy.

Miss May Lemon will spend the summer with her grandmother, Mrs. Foreman of Laguna, San Luis Obispo.

Selina Barston will go to El Dorado for the summer.

J. W. Shaw, U. C. '00, has returned to Santa Cruz.

Arthur Worster of San Jose is the guest of his brother, W. D. Worster of Berkeley.

Mrs. Harriet Howe has returned from Sunol.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Lipman and Miss Rose German are spending the summer at Palo Alto.

Mrs. Robert Bentley and Miss May Bentley have gone to Sacramento.

Mrs. J. E. Hubbard of Berkeley will spend the summer at Pacific Grove.

Miss Celia King of Berkeley leaves to-day for Los Angeles.

The Sacramento Record-Union contains the following item concerning a well known Oaklander. Mrs. Carrie Roma is visiting her mother-in-law, Mrs. K. Douglas, of this city, preparatory to an extended visit to Europe. Mrs. Roma is not only a talented concert singer, having just completed a very successful engagement in San Francisco, but is a composer of considerable note, a number of her composition being quite popular. She has very kindly consented to assist at the oratorio to be given at the Congregational church next Tuesday evening, when she will favor the audience with a special number. Mrs. Roma will no doubt receive a warm reception at the hands of her many Sacramento friends."

Miss Amy Corder of Oakland is visiting Sacramento, the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Metcalf.

Louis Merwin has returned from Napa and will spend the summer in this city.

Policeman Bert L. Curtiss has returned from his week's vacation at Stockton.

Miss Lena Bailey of San Jose is visiting in this city.

Mrs. A. L. Strickland and daughter Hazel of Ventura are visiting in this city.

Dr. Kate Van Orden will spend June and July at Ben Lomond.

Arnold Postel of Alameda is spending a week at Pope Valley, Napa county.

Mrs. M. Lefevre of Alameda leaves soon for France to attend to the settlement of her father's estate, which has been in litigation for nearly twenty years.

Homer Craig is spending a few days at Los Gatos.

J. Raymond and T. Cottrell of this city are registered at the St. James, Los Angeles.

Miss Kate Johnson of Santa Cruz is the guest of friends in this city.

J. R. Shields and family of Alameda are spending the summer at Santa Clara.

George Dugdell of Santa Clara has been spending a few days in this city.

Rev. Dr. Greeleyland son of Berkeley will spend the coming month at Truckee.

Professor and Mrs. A. C. Keeler have returned from Southern California.

Clinton Miller has gone to Visalia.

Dr. Mrs. J. E. Barrow has returned from New York, where she has been spending the past four months.

Miss May Williams and Miss Northrup of Stockton are visiting in this city.

Rev. and Mrs. John Thompson of this city are spending a few days at Redlands.

Miss Fannie Cook has returned from a visit with friends at Redlands.

Guy C. Earl and O. J. Orena have been spending a week at Ventura.

Miss Hattie Smith will spend the summer with friends at Anaheim.

The Misses Ruth, Marguerite and Master Winthrope Ellis have gone to Niles to spend the summer.

Mrs. E. B. Windsom is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Youngman, of Niles.

The "Dewey Cotillion," a well known social organization, will give its closing party at Pythian Hall Wednesday evening. The music will be furnished by the highest grade musicians. It will be an evening dress affair and strictly invitational. The invitations must be presented at the door. The dancing will begin promptly at 8:30 o'clock and the grand march at 9 P. M.

George W. Kelley of this city is at present in Washington, D. C.

Charles Bredhoff and family will spend the summer at Glenwood.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Frank Pierce have gone to Highland Springs, where they will spend the early part of the summer.

Mrs. Vail, her daughter Anna, and Miss Estella Tripp of Stockton are visiting friends in this city.

Quite a number of people from this city and Alameda are camping in the canyon in the Brower place back of Elmhurst. Among those established there are the Van Pelts of East Oakland, and Miss Watson, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Frost, Frank Frost and Will Frost, Mr. and Mrs. Clarke and family of Eighth street and Dr. Thomas Carpenter and family of Alameda.

ACCIDENTAL DEATH OF SAN JOSE PIONEER.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

SAN JOSE, Cal., June 14.—Dr. Stephen Holmes, a retired dentist and pioneer citizen, was run over by a single-horse fruit dray this morning and died before noon. He was a native of Shelbyville, Ind., but had lived in Missouri and Kansas in the early days. He was a man of some means and of high standing and widely known. Two sons live in Texas.

The driver attempted to stop his wagon, but it was too late, and the blocked wheel crushed the skull.

HEAVY SUIT FILED TODAY

Loan Society Brings Action For Sixteen Thousand Dollars.

The Hibernia Savings and Loan Society to-day filed suit against James A. Waymire, Isabella A. Taylor, W. Rigby, Jr., William Ede and the Central California Land Company to foreclose on a very valuable piece of property. The basis of the action is a note for $15,000 which was executed and delivered to the plaintiff by James A. Waymire. This note was secured by a mortgage upon a tract of land situated at the intersection of Walnut street and Buena Vista avenue, 225x690 feet in dimension.

The plaintiff herein therefore seeks to recover $15,900 with interest from March 3, 1895, together with $123.65 taxes.

SHERIFF WILL SELL THE INVOLVED PROPERTY.

The motion for a temporary injunction to restrain the Sheriff from selling the property involved in the suit of Bell Whyte against William F. Doig was argued before Judge Greene to-day and denied. The plaintiff, however, was granted leave to amend the complaint within five days.

The property which is situated at the junction of county road and Sherman street, was delivered to the plaintiff by Georgiana Whyte, and the Sheriff advertised its sale for June 16th. The sale will be unhindered.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC STATION ROBBED.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

SAN JOSE, Cal., June 14.—The Southern Pacific Railroad station office at Campbell was robbed yesterday of about $65. While the agent was at dinner some one forced a window and then robbed the cash drawer.

So far the officers have no trace of the robbers.

American Wins Tennis Contest.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

LIVREPOOL, June 14.—The Northern Lawn Tennis championship contest opened yesterday at the Liverpool cricket grounds at Algberth. The entries were good, all the best English players being engaged except the brothers Baddelley, whose absence is due to the illness of Wilfred Baddelley.

In the preliminary round for the gentlemen's singles, Clarence Hobart of the United States beat Mr. Wolff of Liverpool. The other contests were uninteresting.

The Sporting Life says: "Mr. Hobart's victory was not brilliantly gained, and he will have to improve on this display in order to gain championship honors."

Lady Aberdeen Honored.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

OTTAWA, Ont., June 14.—The Dominion Parliament has been prorogued. After the closing ceremony, the Governor General and Lady Aberdeen were presented with addresses in the Senate chamber on the occasion of it being their last time to perform that function.

Lady Aberdeen was also presented with a historical dinner service, the work of the Woman's Art Association of Canada.

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Decrees Passed Today.

Decree of foreclosure and sale was today handed down in the suit of J. M. French against Herman F. Whittlow. The property affected is situated in the Fitch tract, block "C."

A decree adjudging lien and order of sale has been passed down in the case of Michael Corbett against Amelia De Rafael.

Directors Meet Tonight.

There will be a regular meeting of the Blind Home directors tonight. H. O. Trowbridge, the new member, will take the seat formerly held by D. Hirshberg. Colonel Smith, another director, is now on his way to Manila in charge of the First California Volunteers.

Dr. Chetwood's New Charge.

The Rev. Hobart Chetwood D. D., formerly rector of St. Paul's church, has formally accepted the pastorate of St. Mary's Episcopal Church of Pacific Grove.

Hudson's Pension Increased.

Andrew J. Hudson of this city has had his pension increased from $6 to $8 per month.

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JAS. A. WEBSTER (Formerly County Treasurer) Announces himself a Candidate —for— COUNTY CLERK

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W. S. HARLOW Announces himself a Candidate —for— SHERIFF

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The Murder of Hugh W. Williams Will Be Unavenged.

Testimony Showed That the Killing May Have Been Self-Defense.

IDENTITY OF THE DEAD MAN.

Documents Found in His Room Go to Show That He May Have Been Wealthy.

Mrs. Abbie Gregory and her ex-husband, William Gregory, charged with the murder of Hugh Webster Williams, were discharged by Justice Morris this afternoon.

At the conclusion of the preliminary hearing yesterday Justice Morris took the matter under advisement until today, when he gave his decision.

Yesterday, William Gregory, the ex-husband of the woman who fired the fatal shot, gave his testimony. He was talking to his wife when she looked out the window and saw Williams coming up the walk, and she called to the servant not to admit him. Williams came into the bathroom door, and Mrs. Gregory ordered him to leave the house, saying that he was always troubling her. Williams with a sneer said he would not go.

"I told him that he must go," said Gregory, "and moved to open the door for him to pass out. He then struck me suddenly in the eye and staggered me. I jumped for him and we clinched, striking each other. He struck me in the mouth, knocking out two of my teeth. We then struggled towards the bed when my little boy grabbed me by the leg and tried to pull me away. Williams caught the child by the hair and pulled, but I forced him to let go. We then fell on the bed, Williams on top. My arm is weak, having been twice broken, and I could do nothing while Williams kept striking me.

"Suddenly I heard a pistol shot; we continued to struggle and I finally rolled over and saw a revolver lying on the bed. I grabbed for it and Williams did also, but I got it first and struck him with it. Finally he rolled from the bed on to the floor and I thought he had fainted. I dragged him into the kitchen and my wife told me to go for help. I went out into the street and saw a man driving a milk wagon; I asked him to drive me to the police station, which he did, and I asked an officer to come with me to arrest the man and we went back to the house. We dragged Williams out to the wagon and I was then brought to the police station and locked up and they went back after my wife. I have been a salesman for the Eastern Clock Company for seven years and had known Williams about fourteen months."

Several other witnesses, including Chief of Police Rodgers and Sergeant Conrad were examined, but their testimony brought to light nothing new. Two notes, alleged to have been written by Mrs. Gregory to Williams were introduced by Deputy District Attorney Church. The first was as follows:

"San Francisco, May 3, 1898.

"H. W. Williams: I don't quite understand your message to me this morning. Kindly explain further at my house to-night. Yours, "A."

The other read:

"Monday, 2 P. M.

"I am sick at Emporium parlors. If you can, come at once. A."

Another letter written to "Abbie" by Williams was in the hands of the prosecution, but was not offered in evidence. The letter had evidently been written by Williams and on second thought he had concluded not to mail it. This letter was for the most part given over to upbraiding Mrs. Gregory for the way she had treated him.

In his argument, Mr. Church admitted that it would be difficult to secure a jury that would convict the Gregorys. The question for Judge Morris to determine, he said, was whether they had used too much force in ejecting an intruder from their home.

Attorney H. H. Davis followed with a forcible plea for his clients and the case was submitted.

Documents which have recently been found in the room of the murdered man at North Beach throw some light on Williams' identity. The papers show that the dead man received letters from England addressed: "Sir Hugh W. Williams, Bart. F. G. S., M. I. C. E." This would indicate that Sir Hugh Williams was a baronet, a Fellow of the Geological Society, and Member in Civil Engineering. At one time Williams was a member of the great machine firm of J. E. H. Andrew & Co., of Redditch, Eng., with principal offices at 80 Queen Victoria street, London. His son-in-law, Alf R. Bellamy, is now one of the managers of the corporation.

Some of the letters found among the dead man's effects are as follows:

"San Francisco, June 8, 1897—1 P. M.

"My Dear Sweetheart: I could not see Davis. I waited a full hour and he has not come from court yet. I have concluded to go to Alameda to see about things. I can see Davis at 4 P. M. at his office, so the typewriter said. I also understand he has set my case for Thursday morning, so everything appears right. So far I feel awfully tired. I can hardly get my breath. Yours until 5 P. M., love and kisses, ABBIE."

"Dear Hugo:—Cannot possibly see you before 4 P. M. Will see you at that time. Yours ever. ABBIE."

"Sweetheart:—As you did not seem to think it worth while to say good-by when you went out, for that reason I suppose you don't mind when I come home. But I will be home early in the afternoon, say about 2 P. M. Your darling always. ABBIE."

4:30 P. M.

"Dearest:—I came here at 4 as I told you I would. But as you were not here I decided you must be very busy or you would have met me as you said you wished to do. I am going downtown now. I have not been out all day. Always the same ABBIE."

"My Dear Hugo:—I wish I could have seen you. I feel awfully lonesome. I don't know hardly how to put in the time. If I had so much to do as you I am sure I would not be so lonely. You have so many things to think about and I have nothing. I suppose I will have to stand it until 6 anyway. Your loving. ABBIE."

"Hugo:—I will see you at the dining-room, Geary street, this eve at 8:15. We will have an understanding. A."

The following letter addressed to "Lizzie" (Mrs. Stanton), 2019 Eagle avenue, Alameda, was found among Williams' effects:

"Dear Lizzie:—Was it not delightful. It bears out your hints that all our little friend with the many aliases—virtues were only apparent. You are surprised at my blindness, Lizzie, I was not blind. On the change of my feelings towards and unprejudiced observations of her conduct with me—unblushing and brazen in your presence—all went to prove her extensive experience with the world and matters of the kind. As you have often said, there is no proof from those that boast so much of their virtue and poverty. Pardon me if I transgressed. My object in writing is to say that there will be some money for you at Mr. Abbots on Wednesday. Good-by. "HUGH."

CHICAGO WHEAT MARKET STEADY.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

CHICAGO, June 14.—There was a surprisingly steady opening on 'Change today, considering the cables from Liverpool and the demoralization last night. July opened at 78 @ 79 cents; sold down to 78 cents, then firmed up to 78⅝. September started at 79⅞ @ 70¼ cents; advanced to 71½ cents; fell off to 69⅝ cents; then rose to 70¼ @ ⅝ cents.

POWDER STORED AT ST. LOUIS.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

ST. LOUIS, June 14.—Brigadier General Flagler, chief of the Ordnance Department, U. S. A., has been making experiments quietly at the St. Louis powder depot, near Jefferson Barracks, testing magazines on their utility as smokeless powder depositories. These experiments are understood to have been satisfactory, and it will be only a matter of some weeks now until smokeless powder in large quantities will be stored at the depot.

The St. Louis magazines are constructed of stone, with a brick superstructure. The reserve smokeless powder which is not needed at present will be shipped to St. Louis and placed in the magazines at the barracks. Thousands of pounds are expected. The capacity of the depot is almost unlimited, and an immense consignment can be taken care of. The magazines have never been completely filled.

CANADIANS TO SERVE UNCLE SAM.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

CHICAGO, June 14.—Lieutenant Colonel Bangs of the Canadian-American Regiment has received a telegram from Springfield, Ill., stating that Governor Tanner's son, J. Mack Tanner, had accepted the Colonelcy of the regiment. Owing to this fact there is little doubt that this regiment will be called out immediately.

DISTURBED THE OLD MAN'S SLUMBERS.

Young Cheeseman Arrested for Arousing His Sweetheart's Father.

There is an Elmhurst man who does not like to have his rest disturbed by his daughter's beaux or any one else, and because a young man named Cheeseman was so unfortunate as to arouse the old man from his slumbers last night, he was compelled to appear before Justice Lawrence this morning on a charge of disturbing the peace. It appeared that Cheeseman brought Miss Brooke to her parents' home at a late hour, and this aroused the wrath of Brooke pere. Words passed between the two men, and Brooke's anger finally caused the young man's arrest. The old man was in a pleasanter frame of mind this morning, and granted his daughter's entreaties and withdrew the charge against Cheeseman.

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UNION PRINTERS ADDRESS THE BOARD OF WORKS

Object to Printing Being Done by Pacific Press.

Some Sharp Talk Heard on Both Sides of the Question.

Members of the Oakland Typographical Union appeared before the Board of Public Works this morning to protest against awarding any contracts to the Pacific Press Publishing Company, a non-union concern.

At a recent meeting of the City Council a resolution to this effect was introduced by Councilman Girard and unanimously adopted. The resolution requested the Board of Public Works to consider only such bids as came from union offices. Later, however, City Attorney Dow stated that the Board could not discriminate, but must award the contracts to the lowest responsible bidder.

Attorney Ben Woolner appeared in behalf of the Typographical Union this morning, and stated that it was within the province of the Board to reject any and all bids; that the matter was left entirely within the discretion of the Board by the city charter.

A. J. Read of the State Union spoke at length against awarding contracts to the Pacific Press. That organization, he said, paid its men very small wages, and he referred to a man named Frisby, who was a skilled mechanic and was not able to make sufficient money at the Pacific Press to keep his family in food and clothing. He said that men who would make $27 a week in a union office, received but $12 a week in the Pacific Press. The Pacific Press, he said, was a religious institution, and the managers had told him that they were drawing out of commercial work as fast as possible. One of the religious views of the members of the sect to which the Pacific Press belonged was that its members should take no part in politics. He told of a man who had been in the Street Department and held his position by saying that he controlled the votes of the Adventists of the city, when, as a matter of fact, the Adventists did not believe in taking any part in political matters.

"In San Francisco," continued Mr. Read, "the Board of Supervisors and the Board of Education have so legislated that they will accept no work that is not done in union offices."

Peter Cook corroborated what Mr. Read had said:

"My main objection to the Pacific Press," said H. H. Green, "is that it does not pay sufficient wages. There are 100 members of the Typographical Union and each is a resident of the city, spending his money here. Ten per cent of the wages received at the Pacific Press goes to the church and many of the employees board there. None of us receive less than $18 a week and we think it is a hardship for offices that pay fair wages to be compelled to compete with."

C. H. Jones of the Pacific Press said that the members of that organization were loyal to the city and that its employees spent their money in the city. The Press, he said, employed 125 men and paid over $6,000 in wages. Their workmen were as well clothed and as well fed as any workmen in the city. Not a soul, he said, was required to pay a cent toward the church. If the Pacific Press was driven from the city it would take with it at least $5,000 a month. He said that Frisby, of whom Mr. Read had spoken, was being paid $18 a week, and that the wages at the Pacific Press ran from $15 to $20 a week.

Mr. Gregory of the Union said that Mr. Jones' statement in regard to the wages paid at the Pacific Press was not true, and he could bring a dozen witnesses to prove it. He said that it would mean political death to a politician to have printing done at the Pacific Press office.

The Board then took the matter under advisement till 3 o'clock this afternoon.

At the conclusion of the hearing the Board proceeded to examine the samples of supplies presented by bidders.

It was decided to award contracts as follows: Olsen Brothers, groceries; Sallinger Brothers, overalls, brogans and blankets; Joseph Harris, shirts; Davie & Williams, hay, grain and coal; J. P. Taylor, wood and coal.

Late this afternoon the Board decided to throw out the Pacific Press bids.

A GIDDY WIFE DESERTS HOME.

John Bridge Seeks his Goods but Does not Want his Better Half.

Domestic turmoil has broken into the home of John Bridge, an East Oakland barber, and so estranged have husband and wife become that the former yesterday published a notice refusing to honor any credit asked by his wife or to be responsible for debts contracted by her. Mrs. Bridge, it seems, has disappeared, as has also much valuable furniture. Bridge desires to recover the goods, but not the wife.

On February 8, 1896, Bridge wedded a very attractive young lady named Marie Orra, who lived at the junction of Central avenue and San Leandro road. The couple started housekeeping at 1228 Nineteenth avenue, and all was blissful until a second man became involved in the case. The wife's affection was gradually won, and the little home was doomed to disruptment.

Bridge was not suspicious of his friend's actions, and did not notice any particular intimacy until two weeks ago. At that time he rebuked his wife for what appeared to him wrong conduct, and he charged her with loving another. But things moved on notwithstanding this, and later had their culmination.

Last Saturday Bridge left for his work as usual. The day was cheerful, and so was he. He complacently meditated upon the happy outcome of the talk with his wife, and looked forward to his return at night. The day passed slowly, but when at last he reached the house, no wife stood at the door to greet him. There were merely some empty rooms, looted of their contents. The walls were dismantled and desolate, and all Bridge could find was a picture on the wall and a trunk containing his clothes.

Bridge today stated that the entire trouble was due to the conduct of Albert Davis, a young fellow employed at the Alameda power house.

"I always thought Davis a particular friend," said Bridge today. "I treated him as such, and on that ground, while I was penned up at my work, I allowed him liberties with my wife that I would have allowed no one else. They often went out together, but I never mistrusted the outcome."

Last night Bridge, in company with Constable Cluze of Brooklyn township, located the goods at Mrs. Orra's home, where both the girl and Davis were living. The constable made known his mission and proceeded to recover the property. Bridge today complained bitterly of his reception, averring that the whole family rushed at him, and that the constable had to pull Davis off from him because of his violence in endeavoring to force Bridge away.

The husband says he does not worry any longer. For a week he could not eat or sleep, but now he is constrained to let his giddy wife enjoy her liberty.

STACEY RODGERS FIGHTS FOR LIFE.

A Long String of Witnesses Summoned to Testify.

Defendant Employs Judge E. M. Gibson to Defend Him.

The trial of Stacey P. Rodgers, who is charged with the murder of Edgar E. Halsey at Lorin on the 29th of last March, was commenced before Judge Ellsworth this morning. Assistant District Attorney Church is conducting the prosecution, and Judge E. M. Gibson is representing Rodgers. A long list of witnesses has been subpoenaed and indications predict a long drawn out trial.

Among those who have been summoned to testify in this case are: John B. Smith, C. Fisher, George E. Davis, Perry A. Haviland, Leonard C. Davis, Arthur Wilmott, Bert L. Curtis, H. V. Herbert, Dr. S. H. Buteau, Charles D. Haines, John Sherry, Mrs. Minnie Haines, Mrs. Sophie Hunter, Horace Wilmott, Charles McGreer, Ernest Brast, Frank Rice, Mr. Hays, Tom Young, Frank Tape, Mrs. Wooley, J. G. Overhall, A. Toben, M. Madden, Mr. Brandes, Mrs. Sanford, A. B. Quackenbush, William P. Grant, Mr. Doyle, Mr. Nelson, H. D. Irving, Charles Johnson, Mrs. Mincke, George Schmidt, Mrs. Whitehill, Dr. H. M. Powell, John Guilder, Frank James, W. C. Moran, Mrs. Sophie Hunter, Mrs. Harrison, Dan Madden, A. Petersen, Dr. Pollenr, Mrs. Captain Bennett, Captain Provost, Mrs. Strelbe and Leo Rodgers.

The entire morning was consumed in empaneling a jury. Following are those selected:

RED CROSS APPEALS FOR MORE DELICACIES.

The Hospital Committee of the Red Cross Society has issued an appeal for delicacies for the sick soldiers while the Welcome Committee asks for contributions for food in order that lunch may be served to the incoming soldiers:

Mrs. J. G. Lemmon received a very important communication yesterday from Stephen E. Barton, second vice-president of the National Red Cross Society, in which he says:

"This morning I talked with Miss Barton by telephone, and she expressed her delight at the interest you were taking and the safety which she felt at having Red Cross work in your hands. We wish, however, that we had full information concerning the membership of the State Society of which you speak, who the officers are and what work they propose doing. The newspapers report that they have accumulated nearly $40,000 in money, and that they intend getting out a hospital ship. We would like to know immediately by wire upon receipt of this letter if such is the intention. It it is thought advisable and the undertaking can be accomplished, Miss Barton will secure the required commission from the President of the United States for such a ship to be fitted out and operated in the name of the American National Red Cross. In the name of any other committee or organization it would not be entitled to a commission from the President nor to the respect of any other nation, since Miss Barton's committee is the only one which is acknowledged by the International Committee at Geneva. We feel it important that your people should know these facts, in order that they do not proceed irregularly or with the possibility of disappointment to us all."

The Society will meet again tomorrow morning and this question will be discussed.

CAVALRY SENT TO JACKSONVILLE.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., June 14.—Orders have been received by Colonel Jay L. Torrey for the Second Volunteer cavalry to remove from Fort D. A. Russell, with their horses, to Jacksonville, Fla. The regiment is thoroughly uniformed, armed and equipped, and have, considering the short time the regiment has been organized, reached a high state of perfection in drill evolutions.

C. E. Chorus Will Sing.

The Christian Endeavor chorus, composed of 250 voices under the leadership of A. M. Benham, will give a concert at the First Congregational Church on the evening of June 21st for the benefit of the Red Cross Society of Oakland. An open rehearsal was held last evening, at which the singers acquitted themselves creditably.

Fighting Bob. Evans Uses Foot-Ease.

"Fortress Monroe, Va., Apr. 12th. Dear Sir:—Enclosed find money order for $1. Please send Allen's Foot-Ease to Captain Evans, U. S. N., Comd'g Battleship Iowa, Key West, Fla. Also send to Naval Cadet Frank Taylor Evans, Battleship Massachusetts, Hampton Roads, Va." Letters like this come daily. Allen's Foot-Ease is a powder to be shaken into the shoes. It gives Rest and Comfort to swollen, aching, hot, sweating, tired feet. If you walk, march or stand you want it. All druggists and shoe stores sell it, 25c. Sample sent FREE. Address Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

WEDDING BELLS AT HIGH NOON.

Dr. Medros and Miss Effie Wilkinson United in Marriage.

Pink and White Daisies Were the Flowers Chosen by the Bride.

There was a pretty wedding at St. Andrew's Church on Ninth street today at high noon when Miss Effie Evelyn Wilkinson became the bride of Dr. J. J. Medros. The church was crowded with friends and relatives.

It was a pink and white wedding, with daisies trailing from the wide windows, banking the chancel and carpeting the pathway of the bride up the main aisle. St. Andrew's is a little church, but it never wore a more attractive appearance than for to-day's fair bride. There was the blending of harmonious colors in the decorations and the golden and white glory of the altar embroideries. There were white daisies and ferns in the windows and knots of daisies on each pew. Pink daisies laced the chancel railing with feathery bamboo as a background. Silky pink and white poppies were placed on the altar while palms and wild rushes almost hid the organ and prettily filled the spaces between the altar and pews.

Promptly at noon the familiar music of Mendelssohn's wedding march announced the arrival of the bridal party. Dr. Hulme preceded the groom and his best man, Abe P. Leach, who entered from the vestry-room. Down the main aisle the bride and her attendants passed. The two ushers, R. P. Macdonald and Clarence Crowell led the way. The maid of honor, Miss Grace Hampton, came next and the bride closely followed, leaning on the arm of her brother. The bride was met at the altar by Dr. Medros and the Rev. Dr. Hulme, who pronounced the solemn words uniting the two in wedlock. The bride was given away by her brother. She looked very charming in her wedding gown which was of handsome striped blue and white silk. It was made with a vest of chiffon. She wore a white leghorn hat trimmed with tulle and roses and carried a loose cluster of white carnations tied with white satin ribbon.

Miss Hampton was gowned in grey, trimmed with Nile green velvet and lace. Steel ornaments studded the velvet belt. She wore a black picture hat and carried pink carnations.

After the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride's mother on Adeline street. This afternoon Dr. Medros and his bride left for a fortnight's honeymoon in the south. On their return they will reside at 542 Jones street.

Among the many guests noted at the ceremony were: Mr. and Mrs. Robert Knight, Mrs. Carrie Fross-Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Leach, Jr., J. E. McElroy, Robert Lackie, Charles Bates, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Leach and many others.

BARGAINS IN PRIZE VESSELS.

(Correspondence of Associated Press.)

KEY WEST, Fla., June 9.—The following is a list of the prize vessels and their cargoes which are to be sold at public auction in the city of Key West on Monday, June 27th, at 11 A. M., to the highest bidder for cash:

Name.	Net tons.	Length
Steamer Argonauta	600	182
Str. Ambrosia Bolivar	106	118
Bark Carlos F. Roses	524	118
Bktn. Lorenzo	231	119
Brig Frisquita	325	101
Schooner Candita	51	61
Schooner Mathilde	64	71
Schr. Sophia	57	69
Schr. Pinero	111	89
Schr. Tres Hermanos	34	58
Schr. Mascota	120	116
Schr. Engracia	43	58
Schr. Lola	35	48
Schr. Antonio I. Paco	47	53
Schr. Quatre de Setiembre	30	53
Schr. Orient	45	52
Schr. Antonio Suarez	33	49
Schr. Poder de Dios	51	62
Schr. Espana	54	55
Schr. Fernádito	25	35
Schr. Santiago Apostol	58	63
Schr. Severita	41	52
Sloop Parquitta	33	41

Also, at the same time and place, will be sold the cargoes of said vessels, consisting of 3,500 sacks of rice, 1,416 sacks of flour 373 sacks of beans, 100 cases of codfish, 1943 sacks of sugar 680 cases of sardines 1,750 boxes of vermicelli and macaronni, 47 cases of cigars, 81 bundles of steel, 51 cases of mineral water, 170 cases and barrels of beer, 1260 cases of canned goods 418 bales of paper, 7 cases of paper bags, 10 hogsheads of wine, 3 barrels of wine, 3 barrels of wine, 50 cases of wine, and 262 cases of chocolate.

These are to be sold by John F. Horr, United States Marshal for the Southern District of Florida.

GOODYEAR Welt Shoes.
Better than Hand Sewed Shoes
Cost Less
Men-Women-Children wear them.
ALL STYLES - ALL DEALERS

Plumbing by Planer
is done to last. Lowest prices. Prompt attention. Anywhere in Oakland. Call up telephone black-14, 1203 San Pablo.

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Sheets of white paper for 10c at BROWN'S PAPER HOUSE, 417 Tenth st.

Prompt Plumbing.
Quick work, reasonable work; repairs promptly attended to. P. A. Deasy, 913 Franklin, bet. Eighth and Ninth.

TESLA COAL
Mined in Alameda Co.
A Coal to beat the combine, satisfy housekeepers and boom our common county.
$6.50
PER TON, DELIVERED
—OFFICE—
BROADWAY & 10th ST.
Telephone Main 79.

PROPOSALS FOR SUPPLIES.

FOR THE County of Alameda, State of California. Required by the Various Departments of the County Government.

Sealed proposals will be received by the Board of Supervisors of Alameda county at the Board rooms in the annex to the Hall of Records in the city of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, until 10 o'clock A. M. on

MONDAY, JUNE 27, 1898,

(at which time and place they will be opened in the presence of the bidders) for furnishing and delivering at such times and in such places and in such quantities as may be required, supplies for the Alameda County Infirmary, the various departments of the County Government, Hall of Records, at the County Jail and Receiving Hospital of the county of Alameda, consisting of fish, drugs and chemicals, stationery, wood and coal, groceries, provisions, etc., dry goods, clothing, etc., meats, etc., fruit and vegetables, from date of contract to June 30th, 1899, inclusive, as per specifications and provisions of schedules to be furnished by the Clerk of this Board, adopted by this Board June 13, 1898, and according to the conditions and requirements in such schedules contained.

The county of Alameda, through the Board of Supervisors, reserves the right to use in the several departments of the County Government greater or less quantities than enumerated in the proposals and schedules should the public interests so require, bids to be awarded to the person or persons whose bid is the lowest on any item or items.

The Board of Supervisors also in considering said bids reserves the right to accept or reject all or any of said bids or proposals should the public interest so require.

Samples of all staple articles are to be presented for examination by the Board of Supervisors at the Board room, the same to be properly marked with name of bidder and schedule number.

No bid will be considered unless made upon said schedules nor unless accompanied by certified check payable to the order of Frank C. Jordan, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, certified to by some responsible bank for an amount which shall not be less than 10 per cent of the aggregate amount of the proposal or proposals which it accompanies.

Said check to be forfeited to the county of Alameda, as agreed and liquidated damages, should the party or parties to whom the contract shall be awarded fail to enter into the contract within ten (10) days after the award or fail to give a bond required by the Board for the faithful performance of the contract.

Payment for all supplies will be made in the manner prescribed by Art. 21, Sec. 25, County Government Act of the Legislature of the State of California.

All bids must be enclosed in sealed envelopes, addressed to the Board of Supervisors of Alameda county, and be endorsed on the envelopes furnished by the Clerk, "Proposals for furnishing supplies for the county of Alameda, required by the various departments of the County Government," giving the general name and number as on the schedules or as otherwise provided in schedules.

Dated June 13, 1898.

J. R. TALCOTT,
Chairman Board of Supervisors Alameda county, California.
(Seal.) FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.

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Large willow rocker; full roll arms and back, basket seat well shellacked; a comfort on warm days..$3.25

Metal beds are the most substantial as well as ornamental; enamel or brass.

Enamel beds, full size, brass trimming, iron throughout, including rails.....$2.75
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Solid oak dresser with serpentine top and front, fancy shaped French mirror, ornamented with neat carving.....$12.00

Full spring edge couch, extra wide, tufted top, upholstered in corduroy, movable hair pillow $10.50

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Notice to Voters.

REGISTRATION.

Office of the County Clerk of Alameda County, Cal.

Notice is hereby given that all citizens whose names are not now on the Great Register of Alameda county are requested to register in order to be entitled to vote at the next general election in November, 1898.

That owing to failure of the Governor to approve the act unanimously passed by both branches of the last Legislature providing assistance for Clerk it is necessary to begin registration at an early date in order to satisfactorily attend to registration.

That voters who have since the date of the last general election taken up their residence in Alameda county, and those who since that date have removed from precinct in which their name appears on Great Register, must make affidavit in order to have their names placed on Register of precinct in which they now reside.

That it is NOT necessary for voters who registered for the general election of 1896 and whose names appear on the Great Register of 1896 to again make affidavit for registration UNLESS SINCE THE DATE OF LAST REGISTRATION THEY HAVE CHANGED THEIR PLACE OF RESIDENCE.

That registration will continue to and including August 9th, 1898, after which it will cease.

Attention is called to the provisions of Section 1083, which provides that those "who shall have been a resident of the State ONE YEAR next preceding the election, and of the county in which they claim their vote NINETY DAYS, and in the election precinct THIRTY days" are entitled to registration.

Further notice is hereby given that affidavit for registration or transfer may be sworn to before any Deputy County Clerk in the different towns and precincts of the county, or before any Deputy County Assessor, without charge.

Affidavits can also be sworn to before any Justice of the Peace or Notary Public.

Notice is given that after the filing of affidavits, OTHER THAN FOR THE PURPOSES OF TRANSFER, when names are ENTERED on Great Register, postal cards will be sent giving date of entry. If postal is not received, voters should ascertain the reason why.

The office of the County Clerk in the Hall of Records will be, until further notice, open for registration from 9 A. M. to 5 P. M. of each day.

Dated April 4, 1898.

FRANK C. JORDAN,
County Clerk.
(Seal)

BOOK FREE on stomach troubles sent free to any person addressing the STUART CO., 1 Marshall, Mich., manufacturers of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. Every form of Stomach weakness cured by this wonderful new discovery.

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1163-1165-1167 Broadway
467-469 Fourteenth St.

Sale Begins Monday, June 6th.

CAMPAIGN TO BE SHORT AND SHARP.

Chairman McLaughlin is Confident of Success.

Orator Schoonmaker Returns From His Successful Tour in Oregon.

The confidence felt by the entire Republican party of California regarding its success this fall explains fully the great anxiety to obtain a place on the ticket. It is now considered certain that a Republican nomination is equal to an election.

This opinion is fully shared by Frank McLaughlin, chairman of the Republican State Committee. When asked for some information yesterday he said:

"It is the judgment of the leading men of the party that the campaign should be brief and energetic. The members of the committee will be summoned to meet some time between the middle of July and the first of August, and then steps will be taken to fix the apportionment of delegates and name a time and place for the meeting of the convention to nominate candidates.

"I am not in favor of a long campaign," continued Major McLaughlin. "Considering that our party machinery is in perfect working order, there is no necessity for opening the campaign at this time. In fact, we are in close touch every day with County Committees throughout the State. Our machinery has been kept in motion all the time. Our rooms have never been closed since they were opened. We are not obliged to organize early and arrange a vast deal of preliminary work. Not a day passes that we do not receive letters from interior committees. The responsive work is not neglected. Literature is supplied and information given.

"Formerly it was the custom to abandon headquarters after election and organize anew for the succeeding campaign. This required time to secure rooms and get in touch with committees throughout the State.

"The outlook for a Republican victory in California was never more promising. Members of the party are sanguine and enthusiastic. The Oregon victory is cheering. As an example of enthusiasm and energy, note the attitude of the Republican League of Clubs. These organizations were never in better shape and more confident of winning out. The success of our fleets on the ocean and our armies on the land will add strength to the Republican party. We will be ready to open the campaign in ample time. We are organized so effectively that the campaign once begun can be conducted without a halt to a victorious finish."

F. X. Schoonmaker, the Republican orator, whose speech at the Tabernacle two years ago is not yet forgotten, arrived in San Francisco yesterday. He has just been assisting the Republican campaign in Oregon, which ended so successfully. He is as enthusiastic as Mr. McLaughlin.

"I believe that the result in Oregon will have an effect on the elections this year in all the other States," he said, "and I look for the ultimate and complete triumph of the gold standard in the United States."

Another noted Republican, ex-Secretary of State John Sherman, is also on the coast, having arrived at Tacoma yesterday. In an interview he said:

"I am out of the harness, wholly free from official cares and intent only upon enjoying my outing.

"Dewey won a grand victory, but it is unfortunate that our position is such as now exists. Occupancy, or, more properly, permanent acquisition of these islands—in fact, of any Spanish territory—is in conflict with the very theory and past policy of our nation. The declaration of war itself indicated that we are not to be looked upon as waging a war of conquest."

The Senator incidentally mentioned the Hawaiian Islands, and made no secret of his opposition to the whole scheme of annexation. Said he:

"A coaling station is needed in the Pacific. I appreciate this, but after providing this in the Hawaiian Islands we have gone as far as we should go along this course."

STATE UNIVERSITY RAISES STANDARDS.

Rev. Dr. Cruzan Resigns to go to the Foreign Church at Hilo.

BERKELEY, June 14.—The faculty of the State University has raised the standard of English requirements for entrance in the State University. Hereafter the student must not only pass his examination in the regular High School English courses, but must also use good English in other recitations.

Recorder Sutton today announced a change in the regulations governing admission to the University. Certificates from a High school or academy or preparatory department of a college in the State of California will not be accepted in lieu of entrance examinations unless the school is regularly accredited. Certificates from a high school or other secondary school in another State or country may be accepted provided the school has been examined and accredited by a university of equal standing with the University of California.

The Rev. Dr. Cruzan, pastor of the North Berkeley Congregational church, will accept a call to the foreign church at Hilo in the Hawaiian Islands. His resignation has already been sent to the Berkeley trustees, who will meet next Wednesday evening to consider it.

The postal delivery service will not be increased as expected. The present service is satisfactory to the department.

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A Far-Sighted Salesman Will Give You What You ask for.

The merchant who does business with his eyes open considers no trouble too great which will please old customers and bring in new ones.

He insists that his salesmen shall be as polite to a washerwoman as to the wife of a bank president.

He does not make a hypocritical pretense of selling goods below cost, for he knows that nobody will believe that he keeps a store for fun.

He cultivates a memory for names and faces. He realizes how well men like to have their identity recognized.

He is obliging in exchanging goods, and his delivery wagons make their rounds promptly.

If he be a grocer or a druggist he takes pains to keep his shelves well stocked with articles in constant demand, and he does not try to coax patrons into purchases that they will regret afterwards.

He does not represent to the buyer who asks for Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey that some crude distillation, laden with fusil oil, will answer the same purpose. The wise merchant knows better. He understands that the imitations of Duffy's Whiskey are always worthless, and sometimes dangerous. He would not imperil his reputation for fair dealing by offering anything instead of what the public asks for.

The reputable dealer hands the only real Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey over the counter without discussion.

THE MAN BEHIND THE GUN.

Rear Admiral Erben, in command of the United States "White Squadron," visited England with his fleet four years ago, was entertained by the British naval officers, and in response to the toast, "The United States Navy," spoke in praise of the "man behind the gun," the fighting crew of the ship.

This was the first time the phrase was spoken, and the bluff, hearty comment of the "London Punch" upon it is well deserving of notice:

(Nobody had said a word on behalf of Jack, the man behind the gun, but he was as good as he ever was, and blood was the thing that told. Rear Admiral Erben, in response to the toast of "The United States Navy," at the banquet given to the officers of the United States cruiser Chicago.)

Good, Erben, good! You've hit my mood,
And also hit the mark.
Punch loves all craft, afore and aft,
Right down from Noah's Ark.
A ship to him means pluck, smart trim,
Loyalty, love and fun;
But, sir, you bet, he'll not forget
"The man behind the gun!"

Thanks, Admiral E., for touching P.
That neat and telling phrase!
He joins full heart, for his poor part,
In all that mutual praise
Poured freely out 'twixt sailors' stout,
But that which "cops the bun"
Is your sound crack about brave Jack,
"The man behind the gun!"

Yes; he's the chap who, hap what hap,
Will keep our flags afloat.
John, Jonathan (each sailor man
Is "Jack" aboard a boat),
Briton or Yank, whate'er his rank,
All know what has been done.
'Neath cross or star, by plain Jack Tar,
"The man behind the gun!"

Yes; guns grow big, and build and rig
Are changed since Nelson's time;
Huge iron pots and spanking shots
Spoil beauty and floor rhyme,
But when we close with fighting foes,
We find, ere all is done,
We still depend on our good friend,
"The man behind the gun!"

—London Punch.

THINK HER MIND WAS UNBALANCED.

Jury Finds That Mary Kevil Took Strychnine With Suicidal Intent.

Death due to strychnine poisoning was the result of the Coroner's inquest in the case of Mary Kevil, the 16-year-old girl who swallowed rat poison at the home of Mrs. Margaret Green, 1237 East Twenty-second street, Sunday morning.

The girl was raised in the West Oakland Home, where she was taken at the age of 5 years. At 10 she was sent to a family named Holbrook at Newcastle. There she was betrayed by a man of 70 years, and eight months ago she returned to the West Oakland Home with her fatherless infant. The unfortunate girl was then placed with Mrs. Green in East Oakland.

Mrs. Green last night testified that the girl was of unsound mind.

Tapped the Till.

Robert Reed, a "dope" fiend who is well connected in Oakland and San Francisco, was captured while tapping a till in a bakery shop at Twentieth street and Telegraph avenue last night. He was taken to the City Prison, where he is now confined.

The proprietor of the shop was in a rear room when Reed entered and he returned just in time to see the unfortunate young man extract $2.50 from the till.

When they read about the Peasant-women of Europe who labor in the fields, Americans are prone to condemn the political conditions that cause this state of affairs, and to lavish a great deal of pity on these poor abused women. Our condemnation of some European institutions is doubtless all right, but we had better save a little of our pity and lavish it right here at home. The American wife and mother who bore morning, noon and night, in the close confinement of the home is in some respects worse off than the abused Peasant-woman. The latter enjoys fresh air, sun-light and out-door exercise and retains that most precious endowment, her health.

American women, ever busy in the close confines of the home, get delicate and soon suffer from weakness and derangement of the delicate feminine organs. Confinement to the house runs down their health and they suffer from internal ulceration and inflammation, giving rise to debilitating drains on the system. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription makes the important feminine organs, that are the cradle of the race, strong, healthy and vigorous. It is invaluable to nursing mothers and overworked housewives. All medicine dealers sell it.

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CRITICAL STATE OF THE CHINESE EMPIRE.

The Emperor Appeals to His Subjects to Help Him Financially.

(Correspondence of Associated Press.)

SHANGHAI, May 20.—These are trying times in China. The imperial government is passing through a crisis. The intrigues and cross-intrigues of the court, together with the constant friction between the Manchus and the Chinese in the imperial councils, are complicating matters. Prince Kung, the imperial adviser, is at the point of death. It can be stated upon the highest authority that at his death a reorganization of the Council of State will be made.

The famous viceroy, Chang Chi Tung, is now in Shanghai. He will shortly go to Peking at the request of the Emperor. It is presumed that at the death of Prince Kung, Viceroy Chang will be made one of the immediate councillors of the Emperor. Though Chang Chi Tung is an elderly man, he ranks with Li Hung Chang in progressive ideas. It will be a new era for China if Chang does enter on the duties of the grand council chamber, for then he and Li Hung Chang will be able to outvote the third man, who is an ultra-conservative. There is, however, one condition to note—personally, Li and Chang have been enemies. The world will probably have a fine chance to learn whether these two great leaders of Western ideas in China will sink out of sight their personal differences and work together for the reformation and consolidation of the empire.

The Emperor is fully alive to the crisis which is now on. In an imperial proclamation now being sent to the various governors, the Emperor frankly bemoans "the present great troubles of the empire" and summons his subjects to invest in the bonds of the new national loan in order that he may be relieved from financial care in the midst of these international complications.

On May 5th, the extraordinary official announcement was made that Prince Kung, who was previously reported to have expired on May 2nd, was still alive. It was said that the prince had lapsed into unconsciousness and that the Chinese doctors in attendance had mistakenly pronounced him to be dead. It was added that the prince had since awakened, but that his condition was critical.

AN ERROR.

Senator Linder Credited With Seeking a Democratic Nomination.

Through a typographical error in the Tribune's "Halton" special from San Francisco on Saturday last appeared "Senator Linder of Tulare will be the Democratic nominee from that district."

What was written by Mr. Hatton and should have been printed was, "Senator Linder of Tulare will not be a candidate for renomination. Dr. Pace of Tulare will be the Democratic nominee from that district."

It was, of course, ridiculous to say that Senator Linder would run on the Democratic ticket. He is one of the staunchest Republicans in the San Joaquin, his good work for the party having resulted in his being returned by a large majority to the State Senate four years ago. The reason he does not seek renomination is because his business cares will not permit his continuing in active politics.

New Christian Commission.

The United States Army and Navy Christian Commission of California was organized in San Francisco yesterday. It represents all evangelical denominations and is in a certain sense auxiliary to the Christian commission of the Young Men's Christian Association Christian Commission. The new organization plans to have workers among the fighters. The executive committee numbers the following gentlemen from this side of the bay: The Rev. F. D. Bovard, Dr. E. R. Dille, G. A. Stevens, J. J. Valentine, Rev. C. M. Hill, Rev. C. H. Hobart, D. Edward Collins, Rev. T. D. Butler and the Rev. H. C. Minton.

Dr. Williams' Poem.

The Rev. Theodore C. Williams, D. D., pastor of the First Unitarian church of this city, has a poem in the Souvenir entitled "Defenders of the Flag," which is being distributed among the soldiers. His poem is entitled "The Song of the Volunteers," and is sung to the air "Glory Hallelujah."

HERO HOBSON'S UNSELFISHNESS VINDICATED.

Censorious Young Man Rebuked by Capt. Miller.

(Correspondence of Associated Press.)

KEY WEST, Fla., June 9.—One of Lieutenant Hobson's greatest admirers and staunchest friends in the Navy is Captain Miller, late commander of the Merrimac. An incident which brought to light Captain Miller's devotion and loyalty to his heroic friend occurred last night on the porch of the Key West Hotel. A small group was assembled in front of the hotel entrance, discussing the published reports of the sinking of the Merrimac. There was not a single naval officer in the group, although quite a number were on the veranda.

The conversation turned after a while into a more analytic channel, and one of the speakers remarked that in his opinion all heroism was tinged with selfishness, and that all deeds of bravery were prompted by egotism, and the morbid craving for notoriety, fame or self-glorification.

Captain Miller, who had hitherto been listening unnoticed to the conversation, hearing the different garbled reports of an action the details of which he knew so well, sprang to his feet and addressed himself to the youthful cynic who had undertaken to discuss the ethical side of Hobson's heroism.

"May I ask you who you are, sir?" asked Captain Miller in a courteous and dignified manner, but in a voice quivering with suppressed anger and emotion. He waited for the answer and then replied: "I am Captain Miller, Commander of the Merrimac. I overheard your remark and wish to tell you that I have known Lieutenant Hobson for years. I was his professor at the Naval Academy and have ever since been close to him. Eager and anxious as I was to be allowed the privilege of taking the Merrimac into the Santiago channel, I felt a certain pride in Admiral Sampson's selection of Mr. Hobson. I knew him to be a man fearless and brave, devoted to his duty and his country. There is not one particle of selfishness in Mr. Hobson's make-up, I assure you, and on the night that he sank the Merrimac he went forth to meet certain death without one thought of self. Sir, I beg you to contradict the statement you just made. Won't you please retract it?"

Captain Miller's words were listened to in silence and a grateful reparation was expected for the thoughtless and hasty expression that had called forth this just, but polite rebuke.

Far from it, however; the iconoclastic and argumentative young man stood his ground and refused to allow Captain Miller's opinion to overrule his own right to free thought and its expression.

For fully fifteen minutes Captain Miller condescended to argue with his opponent and repeatedly invited him to take a correct and lofty view of heroism, but to no avail.

The evidence on both sides was in and the young man proceeded to the summing up of his case with what he considered a telling and crushing blow.

"You don't mean to tell me, Captain, he said, "that a man with home ties or engaged affections and ordered to carry out a desperate plan in which sure death is his only material reward, and that man does not flinch but obeys his orders, that his real motives for so doing and the only voice that prompts him to do what you call his duty, is not the voice of selfishness, the ambition and vainglory of having fills name go down to history as a hero and a martyr, do you?"

"Sir," answered Captain Miller, bowing, "I have no desire to waste my time answering questions made by a man of your convictions. I beg these gentlemen's pardon for having intruded, but, as a representative of the United States Navy and a friend of Mr. Hobson, I would advise you to walk down to the dock and drown yourself. I can now realize why you don't understand what heroism means. Good night."

Captain Miller walked away and called for the key to his room, wondering if the young man would have the heroism to carry out the watery plan of self-destruction he had described, but it is safe to say that his courage failed him as he has been seen alive and dry since daybreak.

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"Dear Sir:—A meeting of the Club has been called for Thursday evening, June 16, at 8 o'clock, at which the directors earnestly request your presence. The object of the meeting is to lay before the members a plan for the foundation of a Reliance Military Company. The directors believe that as fine a company as any in the State can be formed from the members and their friends, and that such a company will be of great benefit both to the Club as a whole and to the members individually. It will prepare and train those who may later desire to enlist for the war, and if any large number should enlist, they would be able to go together and with their own organization. At the same time, while the directors attach great importance to this side of the matter, yet the raising of a company for the war is not the primary object. The primary object is simply to form a crack military company as an annex of the Club and wholly independent of any other organization. The directors believe that the members would find a great deal of pleasure in a good military company, and there can be no doubt that it would be of great benefit to the Club. Relying upon your assistance in this matter the directors remain.

"Yours very respectfully,
"PHILIP S. CARLTON,
"Secretary."

IMPORTANT DAY IN THE WILSON CONTEST.

Affidavits Exonerate the Dead Man From Vile and Unjust Suspicion.

The contest of Mrs. Clara Augusta Gordon Wilson of this city is waging a hot battle in San Francisco to acquire possession of a part of the Wilson estate for herself and three children.

John C. Wilson was for many years a prominent coal dealer of San Francisco and left property worth $100,000. The usual letters of administration were granted to Mrs. Agnes Wilson, his widow, and the will was admitted to probate on the 15th of March, 1897. Soon afterwards the other woman in the case appeared.

Yesterday some important affidavits in the case were filed. John C. Wilson, Jr., in his affidavit responding to the charge that his father had led a double life, says that such a thing would have been impossible, as he was habitually at home every day and evening, except when absent on business, and that he was at all times an effectionate husband and father.

G. R. Lukens, attorney for the administratrix of the estate, also filed an affidavit in which he avers that Attorney Henry I. Kowalsky in behalf of the post mortem widow, wanted to know how much he would pay for a compromise; that Mr. Kowalsky said the Wilson heirs could afford to settle liberally in order to avoid publicity of the details of the case; and that he (Kowalsky) had great experience in handling such cases.

Judge Troutt is to hear further testimony.

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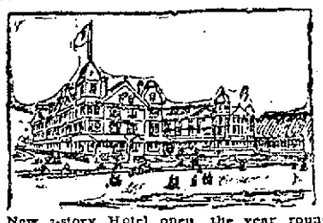

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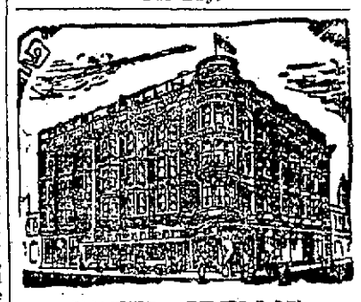

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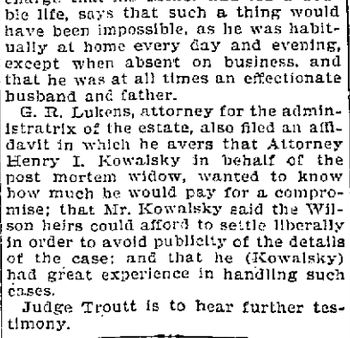

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PROVISIONS OF BOND ISSUE SET FORTH.

Secretary Gage Issues an Explanatory Circular.

WASHINGTON, June 13.—Immediately upon the receipt of information from the White House that the war revenue measure had been signed by the President, Secretary Gage issued the following circular explaining to the public the proposed bond issue:

Treasury Department, Office of Secretary, Washington, D. C., June 13, 1898.—The Secretary of the Treasury invites subscriptions from the people of the United States for $200,000,000 of bonds of 3 per cent loan authorized by act of Congress, approved June 13, 1898.

Subscriptions will be received at par for a period of thirty-four days, the subscription being open from this date to 3 o'clock P. M. on the 14th of July, 1898. The bonds will be issued in both coupon and registered form the coupon bonds in denominations of $20, $100, $500, and $1,000, and the registered bonds in denominations of $20, $100, $500, $1,000, $5,000 and $10,000.

They will be dated August 1, 1898, and by their terms will be redeemable in coin at the pleasure of the United States after ten years from the date of their issue, and due and payable August 1, 1918. The bonds will bear interest at the rate of 3 per cent per annum, payable quarterly; the interest on the coupon bonds will be paid by means of coupons, to be detached from the bonds as the interest becomes due, and the interest on the registered bonds will be paid by checks drawn to the order of the payees, and mailed to their addresses.

The law authorizing the issue of these bonds provides that in allotting the said bonds the several subscriptions of individuals shall be first accepted, and the subscriptions of the lowest amounts shall be first allotted. In accordance with that provision allotments to all individual subscriptions will be made before any bonds will be allotted to other than individuals. All individual subscriptions for $500 or less will be alloted in full as they are received, and such subscriptions must be paid in full at the time the subscription is made. If the total sum subscribed for in amounts of $500 or less should exceed $200,000,000, the allotments on subscriptions for over $500 will not be made until after the subscription closes, July 14th, and will then be made inversely according to the size of the subscription, the smallest subscription being first alloted, then the next in size and so on, preference being given individual subscriptions. Persons subscribing for more than $500 must send in cash or certified checks to the amount of two per cent of the sum subscribed for, such deposit to constitute a partial payment, and to be forfeited to the United States in the event of failure on the subscriber's part to make a full payment for his subscription, according to the terms of the circular. Allotments to subscribers for more than $500 will be made as soon as possible after the subscription closes.

In order to avoid a too rapid absorption of funds into the Treasury, with a possible consequent evil effect on industry and commerce, any subscriber for more than $500 will be permitted to take his allotment of bonds in installments of two per cent, taking the first installment within ten days after the notice of the allotment and the balance at four equal intervals of forty days each, in four installments each of 20 per cent of the bonds allotted. Delivery of bonds will be made in installments as payment for them is received, and payment must in all cases be made in full as the bonds are taken.

The two per cent deposit will apply in the final statement. Any subscriber may pay for the whole amount allotted him within ten days from the date of the notice of his allotment. Interest will be adjusted from the time of actual payment, whether paid in one sum or in installments as permitted. Separate subscriptions from one individual, although made from time to time, will be aggregated and considered as one subscription.

The Secretary of the Treasury will receive in payment for the bonds postoffice money orders payable at Washington, D. C., and checks, bank drafts, and express money orders collectible in the cities of New York, Boston, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington, Cincinnati, Chicago, St. Louis, New Orleans and San Francisco. All money orders and bank drafts must be drawn in favor of the Treasurer of the United States. The money orders and bank checks so received will be forwarded for collection by the Department, and as soon as returns are obtained the subscriber will be credited with the amount of his subscription as of the date of collection. The Secretary will also receive in payment for the bonds certificates of deposit issued by the Assistant Treasurer in exchange for gold coin, gold certificates, standard silver dollars, silver certificates, United States notes, treasury notes of 1890 and national bank notes; and the subscriber will be credited with the amount of his subscription as of the date of the certificate of deposit. The Secretary will also receive currency sent by registered mail or by express direct to the Treasury Department.

For the mutual convenience of the subscribers and the Department, a blank form of letter to accompany remittances has been prepared; and it may be obtained at the offices of National and State banks generally, at the Sub-Treasuries of the United States, at any money order postoffice and at any express office.

The bonds will be dated August 1, 1898, and they will be delivered to subscribers free of expense for transportation as soon after that date as possible. The bonds will be accompanied by a check for the amount of interest due the subscriber from the date of his payment to August 1, 1898.

All remittances and other communications relative to this loan should be addressed to the Secretary of the Treasury, Division of Loans and Currency, Washington, D. C.

All subscriptions must be received at the Treasury Department, Washington, D. C., not later than 3 o'clock P. M., Wednesday, July 14th, 1898. No subscription received after that date and hour will be considered.

(Signed.) L. J. GAGE.

WOULD HAVE NO SPANISH MUSIC.

Patriotic Alliance Picnickers in Sunset Park.

The picnics of the St. Patrick's Alliance, which are generally held in the Santa Cruz mountains, are generally among the most pleasant outings which take place in this vicinity, and the picnic which was given yesterday by Oakland Alliance No. 5 of the order was in nowise an exception to the rule.

The gathering was held at Sunset Park, immediately beyond Wrights on the narrow-gauge, in the Santa Cruz mountains, and was attended by about 1,000 people. The train comprised fourteen cars irrespective of two cars especially chartered by the Photographic Art Club of San Francisco, which paid a visit to the mountains and carried away with them negatives of the beauties with which Nature has so liberally favored those regions.

As soon as the grounds were reached the excursionists divided into family groups and parties and enjoyed the liberal fare which they had brought with them in their baskets.

Then dancing began and was kept up by the young folks unremittingly until a few minutes before 6 o'clock, when the excursionists returned to this city.

An incident occurred in the afternoon toward the close of the dance programme which shows how intensely patriotic the young people of the party were. The ninth number on the programme was the "Spanish waltz," a dance number which has occupied a place on almost every dance programme for perhaps a generation.

The Homeler band was furnishing the music, and in the earlier numbers had introduced with very happy effect a number of medleys of patriotic music, the tempo of which had been accelerated into dance time. The band had played eight bars of the "Spanish waltz" and was surprised when no dancers appeared on the floor to whirl under the inspiration of its time-worn strains. A chorus of hisses stopped the music. The leader could not account for this hostile reception of his music, and started out again with the same strains, when a chorus of hisses, cat calls and jeers drowned even the brass instruments of the band.

"Give us something American to dance. We'll have nothing Spanish;" "We'll make the Spaniards dance to our music before long, but we'll never dance to theirs again," were shouted by self-appointed spokesmen.

Cheers greeted these patriotic sentiments.

The band thereupon played an American waltz.

The picnic was a great social and financial success, the result of the individual and concerted efforts of the following committees:

Arrangements—T. J. Desmond, P. O'Kane, O. F. Rooney, M. Kelly, P. J. Ryan.

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Assistant—N. Carey.

The officers of Oakland Alliance St. P. of A., are as follows: President, P. J. Ryan; vice-president, D. J. Desmond; second vice-president, J. Lyons; recording secretary, Neal Carey; financial secretary, J. Dooley; treasurer, Owen F. Rooney; conductor, M. Kelley; guardian, W. Cahill; trustees—P. O'Kane, J. Coakley and P. Casserly.

ROUTINE MATTERS WERE PASSED UPON.

At yesterday afternoon's meeting of the Supervisors Supervisor Roeth moved that Judge Clift's requisition for new docket pages be granted, and also that a rebate be asked for furnishing a docket of only 400 pages, when 500 pages were called for.

County Clerk Jordan said that the schedule called for only 400 page dockets. It was finally decided to refer the entire matter to the expert.

An application for a liquor license was received from J. B. Barnard of Niles.

The specifications for the Webster street bridge filed with the County Clerk were referred to the District Attorney to pass upon.

E. B. Stone was granted an extension of ninety days to complete work on the San Leandro road.

Mrs. H. Louis of Willow street, Alameda, whose husband is with the soldiers at Manila, was an applicant for relief. Her case was taken under consideration.

The Board then adjourned.

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8:04 a	Vallejo, Napa, Calistoga, Santa Rosa, Martinez, and San Ramon	5:45 p
8:37 a	Atlantic Express, Ogden and East	8:07 p
9:36 a	New Orleans Express, Fresno, Santa Barbara and Los Angeles, El Paso, New Orleans and the East	6:03 p
10:31 a	Vallejo, Martinez and way stations	7:14 p
.....	Fresno, Yosemite, Merced, Martinez	11:45 a
4:34 p	Vallejo, Napa, Calistoga, El Verano, Santa Rosa, Martinez and San Ramon	8:44 a
4:38 p	Benicia, Vacaville, Woodland, Knight's Landing, Marysville, Oroville and Sacramento	10:09 a
5:09 p	Los Angeles Express, Lathrop, Modesto, Merced, Berenda (Raymond for Yosemite), Fresno, Bakersfield, Santa Barbara and Los Angeles	7:04 a
5:09 p	Santa Fe Route, Atlantic Express for Mojave and East	6:03 p
6:40 p	European Mail, Ogden and East	9:09 a
*8:40 p	Vallejo	11:45 a
‡7:00 p	Vallejo, Port Costa and way stations	‡3:20 p
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*5:10 a	Peters, Milton and Oakdale	*8:39 p
1:36 p	Niles, San Jose and way stations	*9:09 a
.....	San Jose, Niles and way stations	*8:36 a
2:36 p	Livermore, Mendota, Hanford and Visalia	3:37 p
.....	Livermore, San Jose, Niles and way stations	‡9:46 a
5:09 p	Niles, San Jose, Tracy and Stockton	6:39 p
5:09 p	Stockton, Lodi, Oakdale (Jamestown for Yosemite) and Merced	11:45 a
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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS AND BUILDERS.

Bids will be received for the construction of an eight room school house in Bray School District, county of Alameda. Plans and specifications to be had at the office of D. F. Oliver, architect, room 59, Macdonough building, Oakland (Broadway and Fourteenth street).

Bids to be opened at the residence of W. M. Axtell, Clerk of Board of Trustees of Bray School District, P. O. address Fruitvale, Cal. Bids to be opened on June 20th at 6 o'clock P. M. Ten per cent of bid must accompany all bids. Trustees reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

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ASSESSOR'S Notice to Taxpayers!

ALSO POLL TAX NOTICE.

Oakland, March 7th, 1898.

All Persons, Firms, Companies, Corporations and Associations are required to deliver at the Assessor's office, at the Court House, City of Oakland, County of Alameda, on or before March 21st, 1898, a statement under oath, of all the property, both real and personal, owned or claimed by him, her or them, or in their possession or held in trust for others, at 12 o'clock meridian on the

First Monday of March, 1898,

in accordance with Sec. 3629, Political Code.

Every person who refuses or neglects to furnish the statement as provided for in Section 3629, Political Code, becomes liable to a fine of one hundred dollars and the value fixed by the Assessor on their property must not be reduced by the Board of Equalization.

All persons owning real estate that has been assessed in the wrong name or errors have appeared on their tax bills, are requested to call at the Assessor's office or notify the Assessor by mail on or before March 21st, 1898, so that the proper corrections may be made on the assessment roll for the year 1898.

Assessment blanks may be obtained at the Assessor's office, room one, Court House, or from any Deputy Assessor.

Poll Tax Must Be Paid on Demand.

Notice is hereby given that the State Poll Tax of two dollars for the year 1898 is now due and payable at my office, Room one, Court House, or to a Deputy Assessor.

Sec. 3839 of the Political Code reads as follows:

Every male inhabitant of the State over twenty-one and under sixty years of age, except paupers, insane persons and Indians, must annually pay a Poll Tax of two dollars, provided the same be paid between the

First Monday in March and the First Monday in July,

then it shall be three dollars.

Sec. 3846 of the Political Code makes it the duty of the Assessor to "demand Poll Tax of every person liable therefor, and on the neglect or refusal of such person to pay, he must collect by seizure and sale of any personal property owned by such person."

Under Sections 429 to 435 every person who refuses to give his own name or the name of any person in his employ, or who in any manner obstructs the Assessor or any of his deputies in the collection of the State Poll Tax, is guilty of a misdemeanor, and liable to a fine of $500 or imprisonment in the County Jail, or both such fine and imprisonment.

Only those persons under twenty-one or over sixty years of age are exempt. Poll tax must be paid on demand.

HENRY P. DALTON,
Assessor of Alameda County.
Oakland, California.

Notice to Architects.

The Board of Trustees of the Fruitvale School District invite competitive plans and specifications for erection of an eight room school house on the school site on Fruitvale avenue and Tallant street, to cost not to exceed $9,000. Frame to be complete, and four rooms only on first floor to be finished.

Basement 8 feet in the clear. All drawings to be made in pen and ink, a scale of ⅛ inch to the foot and as follows:

Basement and first story plans four elevations, one section and one perspective.

Further information may be obtained from E. E. Hunt, Clerk of the Board, at Fruitvale avenue, Fruitvale, Alameda county, Cal.

Plans and specifications with estimate must be delivered on or before June 20th, seven o'clock P. M.

The Trustees reserve the right to reject any or all plans.

E. E. HUNT,
ROBT. B. BAIN,
FRANK HARROLD,
Trustees.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING SUPPLIES.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Directors of Industrial Home of Mechanical Trades for the Adult Blind, of the State of California, will receive and open proposals and let contracts for supplying the Home for the coming year, commencing July 1st, 1898, and ending June, 30th, 1899, with the following articles:

1—Broomcorn, wire, twine, handles, etc. 2—Beef and mutton. 3—Groceries and provisions. 4—Coal. 5—Flour and millstuffs. 6—Coffee, tea and chicory. 7—Conducting funerals.

Bids will be opened on Thursday, June 30th, 1898, at 7:30 P. M., at the Home, corner Thirty-sixth street and Telegraph avenue, Oakland, Cal.

Blank forms with schedules of supplies required, with conditions, etc., can be had upon application to the Superintendent, J. C. Hays, at the Home.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Preference will be given to goods manufactured in California, prices and quality considered.

All bidders for furnishing supplies are invited to be present at the opening of the bids.

By order of the Board of Directors.

H. R. HAVENS, Secretary.

Notice to Stockholders of the California Cotton Mills Company, a Corporation.

In accordance with a resolution of the Board of Directors of the California Cotton Mills Company, duly adopted at a regular meeting of said Board held on the 10th day of June, 1898, you are hereby notified that a special meeting of the stockholders of this corporation has been called by the Board of Directors and will be held on Friday, the 12th day of August, A. D. 1898, at the hour of three o'clock P. M. of said day, at the city of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, in the room of that certain building known as the factory building of this corporation, and in which room the Board of Directors of this corporation usually meet, and situate on the southwest corner of Railroad avenue and Valdez street, Oakland, California, being the principal place of business and office of this corporation, for the purpose of determining whether or not the capital stock of this corporation shall be increased from $600,000.00 to $800,000.00 for the purpose of providing additional capital for the proper conduct and management of the business of this corporation.

By order of the Board of Directors.

J. Y. MILLAR,
Secretary of California Cotton Mills Company, a corporation.

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LEITER TELLS WHY HIS WHEAT DEAL FAILED.

He Says Futures Broke in an Illogical Fashion.

A Fresh Illustration of the Depravity of the Inanimate.

KIND WORDS FOR PHIL ARMOUR.

The Latter Believes the Worst is Over and the Market Will React.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, June 14.—Justice Dallio of the Supreme Court has issued an attachment against the property of Joseph Leiter, the wheat speculator of Chicago, for $753,925, in favor of Otto E. Loehrke, William P. Callaghan and William Knight, grain dealers, for money advanced. The attachment was levied upon funds belonging to Leiter and deposited in the Chase National Bank, the Hanover Bank and other financial concerns in the city. The plaintiffs, who comprise the firm of Otto E. Loherke & Co., assert that they advanced at the special instance and request of Leiter, in various sums, $753,925 since February 1, 1898, which he promised to pay on demand. They allege that he has refused to pay the amounts so advanced to him. The attachment was issued on the ground that Leiter is a non-resident.

THE PLUNGER DEFIANT.

CHICAGO, June 14.—It was stated by friends of Joseph Leiter that the attachment issued against him in New York will not affect the situation and will not force an assignment. The appeal to the court in New York was evidently anticipated, as a representative of a creditor was here and told Mr. Leiter that he was "going to do something." Mr. Leiter told him to go ahead and do it.

A PANIC IN LIVERPOOL.

LONDON, June 14.—The collapse of the Leiter wheat corner has caused a panic in the Liverpool market. In London the news of the collapse was received with equanimity. The consensus of opinion of a number of operators on Mark Lane is that the English market will gain steadiness now that the plunger operating without regard to market precedents is shaken out.

It is asserted on Mark Lane that the collapse was due to Messrs. Armour and Pillsbury. The newspapers generally rejoice at the breakdown of the Leiter plans and point to it as a moral.

The Star says: "If the prime mover in this was against mankind is beggared by his brood, the retribution is well merited. Nothing can atone for the awful suffering Leiter and his accomplices have caused."

CAUSE OF THE FAILURE.

CHICAGO, June 14.—Joseph Leiter, speaking of the collapse of his wheat deal, says:

"It is a case where the tail has begun to wag the dog. This statement has its illustration in the fact that futures began breaking faster than cash wheat declined. Logically, the conditions should have been exactly the reverse. For several days—in fact, I may say, for some weeks—cash wheat has been slow sale—especially in the Northwest and around milling centers generally. To a certain extent this has been offset by a fair degree of activity at the seaboard in response to an inquiry from the other side, but the local markets have been decidedly inclined to drag. There has been a steady marketing of cash wheat, but I cannot say as to the quantities in which it has gone into home consumption, or abroad for foreign use.

"I see no objection to stating that all my holdings of futures have been disposed of. A good deal of gossip has come to me on the general subject of alleged treacherous conduct on the part of Northwestern grain interests which I have always heretofore considered friendly to me in a personal and business way, but I have nothing whatever to say on this subject. If in the history of the deal there have been events to which the public is entitled, it is more than likely that the facts will come out in good time, but not from me. I have no complaints to make or charges to prefer against those with whom I have been doing business. It is a source of considerable satisfaction to me that my affairs for the moment, more or less tangled, are in a fair way of settlement without the intervention of a trustee, or without invoking the machinery of the court, as would be necessary in the case of an assignment.

"The Chicago trade will all be taken care of—in fact, I may say, it has already been protected, for I am even on the market, so far as September contracts are concerned. The cash wheat business will be transacted through Alex Geddes for the benefit of banks which have an interest in it and which will act in concert. The June wheat, representing the cash wheat in this market, will be carried by Armour & Co.

"The treatment I have received at the hands of Mr. Armour is in the highest degree considerate and complimentary. Nothing could have exceeded Mr. Armour's generosity in his offers of financial help, which was to to extent covering any possible requirement on my part. It is particularly gratifying to be the recipient of this kind of treatment at this particular time, establishing, as it does, the fact that the business and personal relations between Mr. Armour and myself are not as strained as they have been represented to be."

P. D. Armour, himself one of the central figures in the Leiter deal, which has been going on for many months, did not take a particularly gloomy view of the situation. He said: "Most of the wheat with the banks is margined at 80 cents a bushel. I confidently believe the market will react, possibly before the end of the week. Wheat has got down to a point where it is worth the money, regardless of speculation. The arrangement which I understand has been perfected provides for the protection of all parties in interest. Leiter's cash wheat in all positions between the Northwest and Europe ought to be handled so that banks will not have to take a loss.

"In one sense, there is not much local end to the story. The local stock of wheat is small, and in relieving Mr. Leiter of his June and local cash wheat we took only 240,000 bushels.

"I do not believe any of the people locally who had acted for Mr. Leiter were hurt, and the feeling of the trade seems to be most kindly toward him. When he decided to carry his June wheat we offered to help him in any way we could. I regret that the deal has turned out as it has, but I believe that the worst of it is known and that the market will promptly react."

AN HONORABLE BANK PRESIDENT.

Makes Good to Depositors Losses Through People's Bank.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., June 14.—Receiver Thomas W. Barlow of the suspended People's Bank, has been enabled, as a result of receiving a check for over $400,000 from President James McManes, to make the very gratifying announcement to the depositors and the creditors of the bank that he is now in a position to pay them a dividend of 90 per cent, and that the remaining 10 per cent will follow in three months. It will be remembered that the bank was compelled to close its doors in consequence of the suicide of its cashier, Hopkins, and that investigation showed that its resources had been impaired to the extent of $850,000 through loans made to Richard F. Loper and the Guarantors' Finance Company, of which Loper was general manager.

President McManes, to whom Hopkins' doings came as a terrible shock, heroically announced that he would personally guarantee that not a depositor or creditor would lose a dollar by the bank's fault, and he has made his word good to the very letter.

DOWN CAME THE DON'S YELLOW FLAG.

Young Sauer Writes His Mother of the Landing at Manila.

Among the many stories sent out from Manila, few are more graphic as to details than that told in a letter written to Mrs. G. Sauer of Alameda by her son Robert, who is on the U. S. S. Petrel:

Regarding the surrender of Manilla, young Sauer says:

"After two hours and a half of heavy fighting, we steamed out into the bay to take a rest and get something to eat. All the time the forts were firing on us, but as luck was not one of the shots hit any of our ships.

"The damage to the fleet in the first round: The Baltimore was hit four times but no one hurt; the Olympia once and no one hurt. The Petrel had a close call of being hit by a torpedo, for it just passed her stern two yards. A ten-inch shell burst in the water close to her bow, wetting the Captain and the men on the forecastle.

"At 11:20 A. M. we started the second round. The forts were firing quick and heavy but no shells struck. The gunboats were silent, for they were behind the stone wall and afraid to come out. The Petrel steamed up to within 700 yards of the forts. They were firing continuously, but not one of their shells struck us. The Captain saw the Commander-in-Chief's flag flying on a flagstaff on top of his house and gave orders to try to hit it. Mr. Plunkett landed a six-inch shell there. It struck the roof and passed clean through the room he and his wife and children were sitting in, then down into the basement, exploding there and setting the house on fire. About five minutes later all of the forts stopped firing and we saw a Spanish flag run up on a staff in his yard. Our Captain signalled, 'Will you surrender?' and down came the Spanish flag, and the battle was won.

"We steamed very close in and landed a force of men, I being among the lot, and took possession of the place. There were eight gunboats that ran behind the wall and we set fire to every one of them. Then we went around to all the forts and blew them up with dynamite. The United States owns it now.

"Our fleet had eight men wounded. The Spanish fleet and forts lost 1,000 men killed and 900 wounded."

EMBEZZLER EXTRADITED.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

LONDON, June 14.—A special dispatch from Paris says William R. Foster, formerly counsel to the gratuity fund of the New York Produce Exchange, who was extradited recently from Europe on the charge of embezzling $193,000 entrusted to his care, and who was released on $20,000 bail in New York city, arrived at Paris yesterday.

LICENSED TO MARRY.

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Could Not Convict.

No complaint was filed this morning against the four young men, Frank Martin, Frank Williams, H. W. Smith and C. E. Evans, who were arrested for disturbing the peace at a house on Sixth street Saturday night. Judge Allen consequently ordered that the cases be stricken from the calendar. It appears that the young men became so boisterous tha tthe landlady blew the police whistle and when Sergeant Peterson appeared she ordered them ejected. Peterson then locked the young men up, but Prosecuting Attorney Melvin advised that it would be difficult to secure a conviction, so the arresting officer refused to swear to a complaint. The woman had no desire to have the men arrested.

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ASCOTT CUP CARRIED OFF BY THE RUSH.

Names of the Winners in the English Races.

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London, June 14.—Ascot week opened dull. The Prince and Princess of Wales were in attendance at the heath, semi-accompanied by the Duke and Duchess of Connaught, Prince and Princess Christian, and the Duke of Cambridge.

Society was well represented, and all the staff of the United States Embassy and many prominent Americans obtained tickets entitling them to the royal enclosure. They included Chauncey M. Depew, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Field, Jr., of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Tree of Chicago, ex-United States Senator and Mrs. Don Cameron of Pennsylvania, Mr. and Mrs. Colgate of New York.

The race for the gold vase, course two miles, was won by Mr. Dobell's 6-year-old chestnut horse The Rush, W. W. Low's 3-year-old chestnut filly, Winsome Chanterie, was second, and W. Cooper's 6-year-old chestnut horse New Haven II, was third.

There were four starters.

The Prince of Wales' stakes was won by J. Larnach's chestnut colt Jeddah, the winner of this year's Derby stakes. The Duke of Westminster's brown colt Badt, which finished second in the Derby, was second also in this event. Prince Soltykoff's Canopus was third.

The Coventry stakes was won by Lord Dunraven's black colt Desmond. Mr. Dobell's Melfi was second, and Captain Machel's Black Wing third. Richard Croker's chestnut filly Sweet Chimes was one of the starters.

The Ascot stakes, distance about two miles, was won by Mr. J. Hammond's 4-year-old brown colt Herminius. G. M. Inglis' Piety was second and J. H. Houldsworth's Rapallo third.

ARCHIBALD WILL GET HIS REWARD.

Indorsed For Postmaster of the Centerville District.

J. Archibald of Centerville has been indorsed by Congressman Hilborn for Postmaster of that place, and will probably be nominated by the President within a few days.

Mr. Archibald is one of the best known Republicans of Washington township, and has worked hard for the success of the party in his district for many years. He has long been engaged in the harness making business, and is known all over the county. His petition was signed by every prominent man in Washington, including many who were not Republicans, but who were desirous of showing their regard for Mr. Archibald's qualities as a citizen.

Mr. Archibald now represents Washington township in the Republican County Central Committee.

POLICE PICKINGS.

Many Prisoners Are Found Not Guilty By Judge Allen.

Today was one of dismissals in the Police Court. Judge Allen found Mamie Young not guilty of stealing clothing from Kate Egan, and Frank Tasney, charged with cruelty to animals, was dismissed on motion of Prosecuting Attorney Melvin.

Catherine Egan was found not guilty of disturbing the peace, and Thomas Matthews was found not guilty of battering James Cassady.

Miss S. Angell, charged with selling liquor without a license, forfeited $30 bail.

Harry Lynch, who fought with A. C. Bowen and broke the latter's nose, will be tried for battery tomorrow.

Funeral of Mrs. Snyder.

The funeral of Mrs. Lavenia H. Snyder, who was killed by the Berkeley local Sunday night, will be held at the Golden Gate Methodist Church this afternoon at 4 o'clock. Mrs. Snyder was a native of West Virginia and was 57 years of age. She had lived in Park street near Monte avenue for eight months. The interment will be at Mountain View Cemetery.

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WILL RECEIVE AN ANSWER TOMORROW.

Major General Otis Hears the Request for a Sham Battle.

General Otis, who is in charge of Camp Merritt, has promised that he will give a decided answer tomorrow as to whether he will send two regiments to Oakland to give a sham battle on the Fourth of July.

Yesterday Mayor Thomas, E. A. Heron and James P. Taylor, of the Board of Trade had a conference with Major-General Otis. The committee was well received and is almost certain that the request will be granted.

This evening the Merchants' Exchange will meet and will receive a committee from the Board of Trade and all work together for the celebration.

FIVE MEN ARE DROWNED IN A MINE SHAFT.

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The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

ST. LOUIS, June 14.—A special to the Post-Dispatch from Aurora, Missouri, says:

An accident in the mine of the Mount Vernon Company at Scott City, a mining camp twenty miles from this city, last night resulted in the death of John Durham, his son, William Durham, J. W. Newman, William Kros and John Houcu, Sam Bennett, another miner, had a narrow escape from death.

For some time the mine has been under water, and the men mentioned were at work on a raft pumping it out. Without warning, a mass of rock from the sides of the shaft above them fell into the raft, breaking it up and precipitating the men into the water. Sam Bennett who escaped, did so by clinging to a log of the raft until rescued. The other five men sunk to the bottom of the shaft and are lying in sixty feet of water.

PERRY LEE DOWNS UNDER ARREST.

A Relative of the Famous Confederate Charged With Forgery.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

CHICAGO, June 14.—Perry Lee Davis, alias Phil Downs, Lieutenant Colonel of the Blue and Gray Legion, has been arrested by Deputy Sheriffs, charged with forging railroad bonds to the value of $280,000. The Sheriffs acted on requisition papers from Governor Tanner and the Governor of Maryland. Downs is a relative of General Fitzhugh Lee and Jefferson Davis. He was taken to Baltimore by W. B. Lyon, a special messenger of Maryland's Governor, who came to Chicago to personally effect Downs' arrest. The alleged forgery occurred three years ago.

FITZGERALD SUES FOR $5,000 DAMAGES.

Avers That he was Thrown From a Moving Electric Car.

Patrick Fitzgerald to-day filed a complaint against the Oakland Transit Company suing for $5,000 damages. He alleges that on March 2, 1898, while alighting from a car at Eighth and Center streets he was violently thrown to the ground, striking in such a manner as to sustain permanent injuries. This was due, he maintains, to the sudden start of the car before he was on the ground. At the time of the accident Fitzgerald was earning $45 a month with the Southern Pacific Company, and this amount has been lost to him.

On these grounds the plaintiff seeks to secure indemnity.

AN OLD ESTATE WILL BE PARTITIONED.

Wheeler-Buller Litigation Again Claims the Court's Attention.

Attorney Wright, in behalf of the plaintiff in the action of Kate Kirkham Wheeler against Mary L. Yarde-Buller, has filed notice that on June 23th, in Department No. 1 of the Superior Court, Referee A. H. Breed, who was appointed to make sale and partition among the parties to this action of the old Kirkham mansion at Eighth and Oak streets, will report, and the trial of the suit will at that time proceed.

APPOINTED TO GUARD A SMALL BOY'S ESTATE.

John H. Lindow was today appointed guardian of little 4-year-old Frederick Lindow of Golden Gate. It appeared to the court that, although the child has parents with whom he is living, that they are not proper persons to guard the little one's estate in San Francisco, which was left to him at the death of his grandfather, John F. Lindow, deceased.

But One Parcel Left.

William H. Knight has been appointed administrator of the estate of the late Mercy M. Gray. There is but one small parcel of realty left to administer upon, notwithstanding the enormity of the decedent's wealth. Mrs. Gray distributed all her property during life except her summer home at Twin Lakes, near Santa Cruz.

DEATH IS BETTER THAN PAUPERISM.

Aged Dave Smith is Anxious to try Again.

Twice he has Leaped From a Ferryboat Into the Bay.

Last evening about 6 o'clock David Smith, an inmate of the County Infirmary, walked into an office on Broadway and delivered the following speech:

"Gentlemen, I have been driven from the County Infirmary by cruelty and persecution and tonight I go into the bay. I cannot stand it any longer. I am over 70 years old and they want to make me a slave. I will not stand it. I shall go into the bay tonight," and having thus spoken, the old man went out, leaning on his cane. He had been drinking and no attention was paid to his story.

An hour later an old man boarded the ferry boat at the mole. He waited till the boat started and then, going to the stern, he uttered a loud yell and jumped overboard. Several people saw his attempt at suicide and the ferry boat was at once brought to a standstill. A boat was lowered and the dripping old man was soon back on board. He was quite willing to be rescued.

When the boat reached San Francisco the man was taken to the Harbor Receiving Hospital. As soon as he was sufficiently recovered he told his story. He said his name was David Smith and that he had been abused and discharged at the Alameda County Infirmary. He expressed sorrow that he had been rescued.

"This is not the first time Smith has attempted suicide," said Dr. Clark of the County Infirmary this morning. "About six months ago he told everybody he was going to end his life, and he left the Infirmary and did take a dive into the bay, but he said the water was too cold and floated till he was picked up. Yesterday morning he was told to carry the food to a bed-ridden inmate. He was well able to do that, and has done it for some time. Such is our custom to save all the paid help possible. Yesterday Smith was obstinate. He refused to do this very small task, and was told to report to me. He did so, and I ordered him to carry the tray of food as usual. He said he would die first. I reminded him that he had once found that unpleasant, and that it was not likely to have improved any. He then went off. He left the Infirmary of his own accord, and I have since learned that he jumped from the ferry boat."

Smith is still at the Harbor Receiving Hospital, and will soon be well enough to leave. He told the matron this morning that as soon as he can get away he will again seek death in the bay.

"RED" RYAN'S SON IN TROUBLE AGAIN.

This Time he is the Victim of an Assault by Three Young Men.

Mike Ryan, son of "Red" Ryan, the well known character about town, was found unconscious at Twelfth and Webster streets last evening. He had been beaten into insensibility by three young men with whom he had quarreled. Ryan was taken to the Receiving Hospital, where for several hours the physician was unable to tell whether or not the young man was fatally injured. Toward midnight, however, he became conscious, and was able to tell Dr. Porter, who was in attendance, who he was and where he lived.

It seems that Ryan had been drinking in a saloon at the northwest corner of Twelfth and Webster streets, and when he left he was followed by three young men, who had also been drinking in the saloon. The young men and Ryan engaged in a quarrel on the sidewalk, and Ryan was jumped upon and beaten severely. Just how badly he is injured is not yet known.

Ryan lived with his parents, 1703 Union street.

To Eject a Sculptor.

Sheriff White has been directed to eject F. Marion Wells, the sculptor, from possession of property in Berkeley upon which a mortgage was foreclosed a few days ago by J. V. Lawrence. It is claimed that the sculptor has refused to surrender the property.

Decree of Distributions.

Decree of final account and distribution was to-day handed down in the matter of the estate of the late James Adams. The property consists of $2,300 in personal property, and realty of an unknown value.

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Renaissance Med. Soap 25c to 15c bx
Lavender Cream Soap 25c to 20c bx
Kirk's Poppy Soap....25c to 20c bx
Williams' Jersey Cream Soap..... 15c to 10c cake
Charcoline Tooth Soap, 20c to 10c bx

STANDARD REMEDIES

Phelps' Rheumatic Elexir,..... $1.00 to 75c
Baker's American Specific Liniment 50c to 35c
Prof. Field's Worm Powders..... 25c to 15c
Cream of Dates.....25c to 15c

MISCELLANEOUS

Orange Flower Cologne, 25c size to.....20c
Orange Flower Cologne, 50c size to 40c
Orange Flower Cologne, $1.00 size to 75c
Orange Flower Cologne, $1.50 size to.....$1.15
Oriental Sachet Powder, $1.00 per oz. to.....75c per oz.
Dandruff Lotion, $1.00 bot. to...75c
Headache Powders, 3 pkg for 25c to.....4 for 25c
Lister's Antiseptic Solution, 50c to 40c
Oriental Velvetine Powder, 50c to 40c
Comp. Extract Sarsaparilla, Yellow Dock and Stillingia, 65c to....50c
Wine Coca, 75c to.....50c
Imp. Little Liver Pills, 25c to...20c

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DISTINGUISHED CANADIAN DEAD.

Sir Joseph Chapleau, a Noted Statesman, Passes Away.

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MONTREAL, June 14.—Sir Joseph Adolph Chapleau, formerly Lieutenant Governor of Quebec and Secretary of State of the Dominion, and one of the great French-Canadian statesmen, is dead. He was born in St. Therese de Blamville, Quebec, on November 9, 1830.

In 1867 he set out for his native county of Terre Bonne, with only ten shillings in his pocket, to run for a seat in the Legislature. His eloquence made a deep impression upon the constituency, and he was elected.

As an orator he had no equal in Canada. He became Queen's Counsel in 1853, and a year later achieved celebrity as counsel for Louise Reil's associates, charged with the murder of Scott.

He was Provincial Secretary in De Bouchenville's ministry in 1875-77. At the defeat of the Joly Government in 1879 he became Premier of Quebec. In 1882 he accepted a portfolio under Sir John A. McDonald.

THE BOYLE INQUEST.

The jury summoned by Coroner Baldwin to inquire into the facts surrounding the death of Edward R. Boyle found that the boy was 15 years of age and that he came to his death by drowning near El Campo on June 5th.

The boy, accompanied by his younger brother, Herbert, and Charles Ryerson and Thomas Jewett, none of whom are over 15 years of age, went rowing in the bay and Edward Boyle decided to go in bathing. He could not swim but held on to the railing of the boat. Suddenly his hand slipped from the railing and before assistance could reach him the body had sunk from sight. It was found floating in the bay near the narrow-gauge mole Sunday by "Portuguese Joe," a fisherman.

Brick Chimney Falls.

A heavy brick chimney fell from the top of the Heeseman building at Eleventh street and Broadway yesterday afternoon. Luckily no one was passing at the time, although Eleventh street is generally crowded at that time of day.

The cause of the accident was the stretching of a dead wire which had been attached to the chimney.

Fight Over Billiards.

Frank Silva, who conducts a saloon at Seventh and Center streets, swore to a "John Doe" warrant yesterday for the arrest of a stranger for battery. According to Silva, he tried to make the stranger quit playing billiards when he desired to close his saloon and the stranger became angry and struck him.

Inquest To-night.

Coroner Baldwin will this evening hold an inquest on the remains of Mrs. Lillian Snyder, who was run over by the Berkeley local at Golden Gate Sunday afternoon. The woman died a few hours after the accident.

SIR CHARLES TUPPER ON THE ALLIANCE.

Says Canada Favors it and Wants America's Friendship.

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The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

LONDON, June 14.—Sir Charles Tupper, the Canadian statesman, who has just arrived here from Canada, is quoted in an interview as discussing lengthily the relations between Canada and the United States. He said:

"Canada sympathizes very warmly with the proposed alliance between Great Britain and the United States. It has always been our desire to have the most friendly commercial relations with the republic, but hitherto the United States has not shown any disposition to reciprocate.

"The McKinley and Dingley bills and the alien labor laws presented conclusive evidence on this point. I believe, however, that the present is a most propitious time for the settlement of all questions, and by the changed temper of the American people I think they can be approached with a fair prospect of a just settlement."

Bound for Manila.

Several Oaklanders will embark for Manila with the hospital corps of the Fifth Infantry. The corps includes Private Thomas J. Thompson, George C. Taylor, G. McCarthy of the Reliance Club, and J. M. Pierce of Berkeley.

Kuck's Inlet

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